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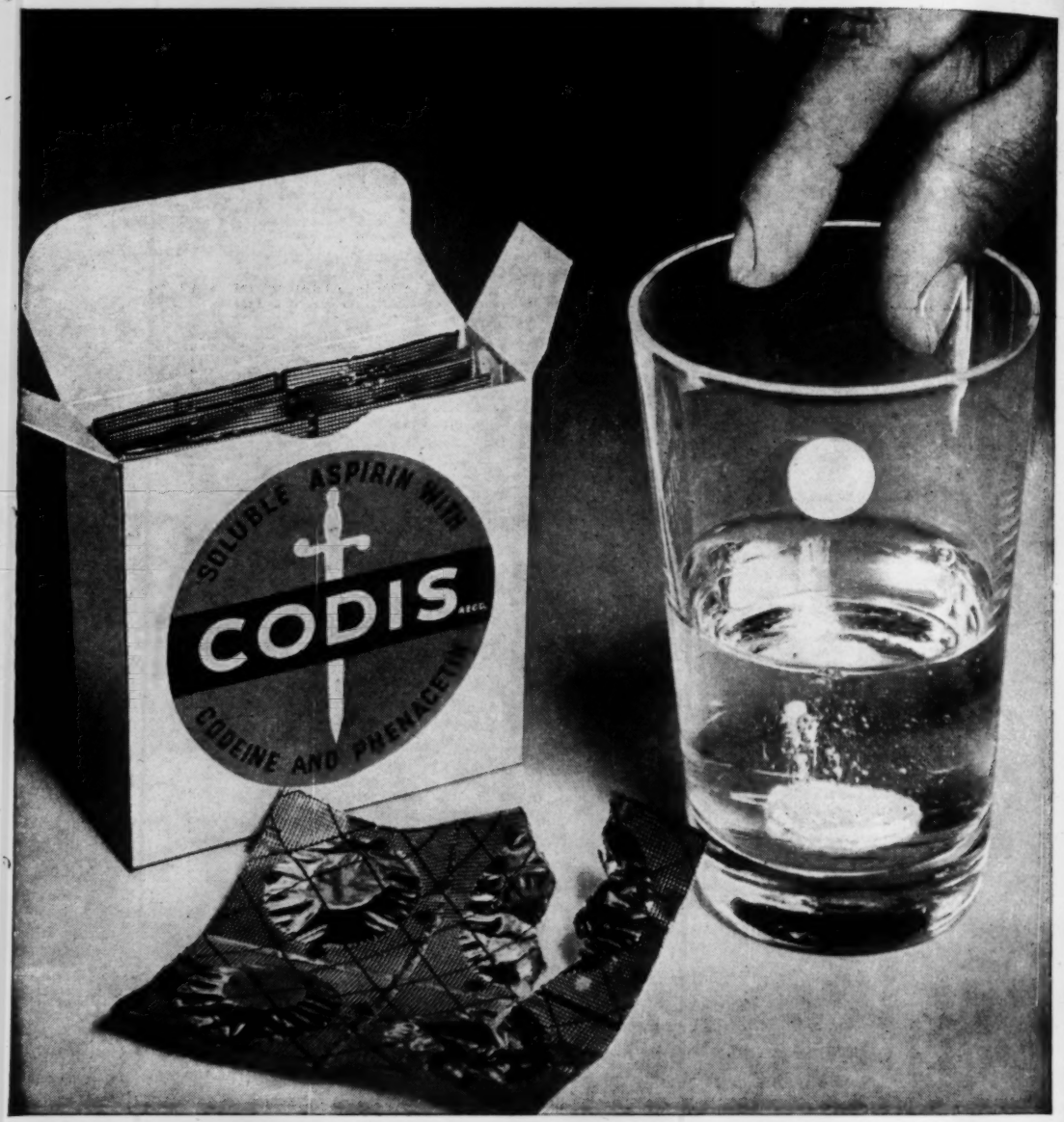

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NISTRY OF HEALTH VACANCIES:
ASSISTANT DIETITIANS
(FEMALE)

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ing date 17th November, 1956. (2371)

PRIZE GIVING AND REUNIONS

NELSON HOSPITAL

Prize-giving and **Reunion.** Satur- th November, 3.0 p.m. All welcome. V.P. to Matron, Nelson Hospital. (2341)

LSBOURN HOSPITAL, CAMBRIDGE

st distribution of Badges and Certifi- nd Nurses Reunion Day will be held hospital on 22nd November, 1956, p.m.
Elizabeth Cockayne, D.B.E., Chief Officer of the Ministry of Health raciously consented to make the ations.
ery warm welcome is extended to all nd present members of the nursing Overnight accommodation can be on application to the Matron.
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1956/1957

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REFRESHER COURSES

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Apply to: Director in the Education Department,
Royal College of Nursing,
1a Henrietta Place, Cavendish Square,
London, W.1.

BIRMINGHAM

WHOLE TIME COURSES

Teachers of Assistant Nurses—21st January-20th February, 1957.

REFRESHER COURSES (Non-Residential)

Ward Sisters—5th-10th November.
Home Nurses—3rd-8th December.

RESIDENTIAL REFRESHER COURSES

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Public Health and Occupational Health fields.

SPECIAL COURSES

Study Conference for Matrons, Tutors and Senior Nursing Officers of Assistant Nurse Training School—13th-16th November, 1956.

Apply to: Education Officer,
Royal College of Nursing,
162 Hagley Road, Birmingham. (22)

THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF NURSING

SCOTTISH BOARD

EDUCATION PROGRAMME 1956—1957

FULL TIME COURSES:

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3 months—For The Royal College of Nursing Certificate.
8th January-2nd April, 1957.

6 weeks —For Ward Sisters of not less than five years' experience.
No certificate is awarded.
15th January-26th February, 1957.

Where Ward Sister is stated, Charge Nurses is also implied.
The courses are intended for nurses in both general and psychiatric fields and clinical experience will be arranged to meet the needs of the individual student.

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11th-15th March, 1957, inclusive. Matrons and Charge Nurses in Mental Hospitals.
1st-5th April, 1957, inclusive. Assistant Matrons, Principal Tutors, other Nursing Administrators.
8th-12th April, 1957, inclusive. Ward and Departmental Sisters.

Since there are only 20 vacancies for each course, early application is essential.

THREE DAYS DISCUSSION GROUPS :

One for Principal Tutors.
One for Tutors. May, 1957.

REFRESHER COURSE :

For those helping with the education of the Nurse in the Mental Hospitals.
6th-11th May, 1957.

CONFERENCES :

"Design, Function and Finance." 26th, 27th, 28th February, 1957. Edinburgh.

"Leaders or Drivers." A conference on Group Leadership Methods conducted by Dr. Magda Kelber. **22nd-26th March, 1957. St. Andrews.**

Further information about any of the above may be obtained from the Education Officer, 44 Heriot Row, Edinburgh, 3. (x941)

THE METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL
KINGSLAND ROAD, LONDON, E.8

The Prize-giving Ceremony will be held on Thursday, 1st November, 1956, at 3 p.m. All former members of the nursing staff are warmly invited to attend. R.S.V.P. to Matron. (2114)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY

(a) Vacancies occur in the six months course in the Department of Anaesthetics.
(b) Applications are invited from candidates who have undertaken an Anaesthetic Course, for post as **Staff Nurse** in the Department of Anaesthetics.
Please apply to Matron, giving two names for reference purposes. (2289)

QUEEN MARY'S (ROEHAMPTON) HOSPITAL, ROEHAMPTON LANE LONDON, S.W.15
(Tropical Disease Unit)

S.R.N.s invited to apply for a six months' course in nursing of tropical diseases, commencing 1st March, 1957. Certificate awarded on successful completion of course. National Health Service Whitley Council Staff Nurse salary scale.
Apply to Matron. (2369)

RAMPTON HOSPITAL FOR MENTAL DEFECTIVES RETFORD, NOTTS.

Qualified Male and **Female Nurses** to train for Mental Deficiency Nursing Certificate required.
Training period 18 months for State Registered Nurses. Salary:— S.R.N., R.S.C.N., R.M.N., £445—£460. S.E.A.N., R.F.N., S.C.N., £435—£460, less £115 if resident. Free uniform.
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KENT COUNTY COUNCIL
STUDENT HEALTH VISITORS

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses, holding Part I of the Certificate of the Central Midwives Board, to train as **Student Health Visitors.**
The course commences in January, 1957, and will cover three academic terms. The theoretical training will be undertaken at the Battersea Polytechnic and practical training will be carried out in Kent.
Forms of application and further particulars obtainable from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Maidstone. (2417)

PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES

CITY AND COUNTY OF BRISTOL DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses and State Certified Midwives for appointment of **Domiciliary Midwife,** in accordance with Whitley Council agreement.
Opportunity of gaining experience in training of Pupil Midwives, and of taking Midwives Teachers' Course.
Appointment superannuable, medical examination.
Application forms from and returnable forthwith, to R. C. Wofinden, Medical Officer of Health, Central Health Clinic, G.P.O. Box No. 201, Tower Hill, Bristol, 2. (2130)

LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

District Midwives required for the following areas. Own living arrangements in each case. (1) Ashton-under-Lyne. (2) Swinton. (3) Newton-le-Willows. (4) Penwortham, Nr. Preston. (5) Headquarters Relief Staff.
Whitley Council salary scales. Appointments superannuable and subject to passing a medical examination.
Applications to County Medical Officer of Health, Serial 894, East Cliff County Offices, Preston. (2224)

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Prospective **Student Nurses** and **Pupil Assistant Nurses** may obtain information on nursing as a career from

NURSING RECRUITMENT SERVICE (NT),
21 CAVENDISH SQUARE, LONDON, W.1
(Tel.: LANgham 4362)

Inquiries welcomed by the Secretary. Individual advice (including, if desired, help in the choice of a Training School) given by State Registered Nurses. (4)

QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FOR THE FOLLOWING VACANCIES:—

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENTS

BRADFORD, YORKSHIRE. Assistant Superintendent required. H.V. Certificate. Good experience in administration and training of student district nurses. Motorist, car provided, or allowance to car owner.

CAMBERWELL, LONDON, S.E. (TRAINING HOME). Assistant Superintendent required. Excellent opportunity to gain experience in administration. Tutor on staff. Motorist or cyclist. Modern, well-equipped Home.

MANCHESTER D.N.I.

ARDWICK TRAINING HOME. Resident **Assistant Superintendent** required to help with administration and training. Tutor on staff. General nursing only.

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METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION (TRAINING HOME—CENTRAL LONDON). Second Assistant Superintendent required middle of November. H.V. Certificate essential. Good experience in administration and teaching. Car driver or cyclist preferred.

OLDHAM COUNTY BOROUGH. Assistant Superintendent required. General nursing only. Salary in accordance with the appropriate scale of the Nurses' and Midwives' Whitley Council. Housing accommodation available.

CITY OF PLYMOUTH (TRAINING HOME). First Assistant required, with previous experience. H.V. Certificate essential; must be interested in administration and training. Car provided or allowance for use of own. Apply Medical Officer of Health, "Seven Trees", Lipson Road, Plymouth.

SHOREDITCH AND BETHNAL GREEN NURSING ASSOCIATION, 210 KINGSLAND ROAD, LONDON, E.2. Assistant Superintendent required. General nursing only. Cyclist and motorist. Accommodation provided.

WESTMINSTER AND CHELSEA D.N.A. (TRAINING HOME). First Assistant Superintendent required. H.V. Cert. essential. Good experience in administration and in the training of Student District Nurses. Motorist preferred. Resident in Home.

WOOLWICH AND PLUMSTEAD D.N.A. (TRAINING HOME FOR QUEEN'S NURSES and PART II MIDWIFERY). Experienced Queen's Nurse required as **Assistant Superintendent.** H.V. Certificate desirable. Motorist preferred. Resident in Home.

TRAINING MIDWIFE

CAMBERWELL (PART I SCHOOL). Training Midwife required. One of three. Motorist or cyclist. Car provided.

NURSES

COUNTY BOROUGH OF BARNSLEY HOME NURSING SERVICE. Queen's trained female **District Nurse** required. Self-contained, furnished flat available. Whitley Council scale salary and conditions of service. Superannuable. Assisted Car Purchase Scheme in operation. Applications to the Medical Officer of Health, Health Department, Town Hall, Barnsley, as soon as possible.

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CITY OF OXFORD. Queen's Nurse required for staff of Key Training Home. Resident or non-resident. Also **State Registered Nurses** with, or without, the Central Midwives' Board Certificate, to train for Queen's Roll. Experienced **Queen's Nurse** required for small Branch Home—two resident. Domestic help provided. For further particulars apply the Superintendent, 39 Banbury Road, Oxford.

WOOLWICH AND PLUMSTEAD D.N.A. (TRAINING HOME FOR QUEEN'S NURSES). Male Nurse (motorist) and **Student District Nurses** (resident) required to train for Queen's Roll Examination.

HOVE AND PORTSLADE D.N.A. Two **Queen's Nurses** required to share modern comfortable furnished flat near sea. General work and relief midwifery. Whitley scale.

Apply, unless otherwise stated, to the Deputy General Superintendent, Q.I.D.N., 57 Lower Belgrave Street, London, S.W.1. (2414)

QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING

STUDENT DISTRICT NURSES FOR QUEEN'S ROLL

State Registered Nurses on the General Register can train in District Nursing for the Queen's Roll in **six months.**

Existing District Nurses (S.R.N.s) having had a minimum of 18 months' experience may train in **four months,** also Nurses who hold the Part II Midwifery or Health Visitor or Tutor's Certificate.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Education Officer, Q.I.D.N., 57 Lower Belgrave Street, London, S.W.1. (2415)

QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING

SCOTTISH BRANCH

State Registered Nurses on the General Register can train in District Nursing for the Queen's Roll Certificate in six months.

Nurses who are also State Certified Midwives or who hold the Health Visitor's Certificate are eligible to train in four months.

Application forms and further particulars can be obtained from the Superintendent, 26 Castle Terrace, Edinburgh. (x30)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF STOCKPORT

HOME NURSING SERVICE

(1) **State Registered Nurses** required to train as Queen's Nurses. Course covers six months (four months if State Certified Midwives). Whitley Council scale and conditions of service.

(2) **Queen's Nursing Sister** required. Resident or non-resident.

Further particulars from Superintendent, 39 Greek Street, Stockport. (2303)

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STOKE MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL AYLESBURY, BUCKS.

(General—611 beds)

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Three months' course (theoretical and practical experience). Applic are invited from S.R.N.s and S.E.A.N.s (male and female).

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Six months' course (theoretical and practical experience). Applications invited from S.R.N.s (male and female).

Candidates accepted for both courses on 1st December, March, June September of each year. Whitley scales of salary. Resident or non-resident. particulars from Matron.

PEPPARD CHEST HOSPITAL HENLEY-ON-THAMES, OXON.

Regional Thoracic Surgical Unit

(236 beds)

The hospital offers a wide experience in the treatment of Tuberculo non-Tuberculous Thoracic Surgery.

Applications will be welcomed from medically suitable ex-patients.

Caravan sites may be available within the hospital grounds for m applicants.

Applications are invited for the following posts:

Staff Nurses—male and female, in training for the Post-graduate Cer of the British Tuberculosis Association—One Year Course—Schools com 1st January and 1st July each year.

Assistant Nurses—male and female, required for Surgical and Medical Training for the Certificate of the British Tuberculosis Association may be in two years. Schools commence 1st April and 1st October each year.

Six Months' Post-graduate Course—Applications are invited from Registered Nurses, male and female. Theoretical and practical experien offered in Medical and Surgical nursing in the Tuberculous and non-Tuber Thoracic Units of this modern Chest Hospital.

Applications to the Matron.

READING QUEEN'S DISTRICT NURSES

State Registered Nurses trained in six months for the Queen's Roll. months' courses for Nurses holding the H.V. or C.M.B. Certificate. Whitley of salaries.

Apply Superintendent, 25 Erleigh Road, Reading.

MOORFIELDS WESTMINSTER AND CENTRAL EYE HOSPITAL CITY ROAD, LONDON, E.C.1

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and for the

DIPLOMA OF THE OPHTHALMIC NURSING BOARD

Block system of education.

STUDENT NURSES accepted for three years associated training with the following hospitals:

Guy's Hospital.
Royal Free Hospital.
Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge.
Kent and Canterbury Hospital, Canterbury.
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Candidates should be 18 years of age and have attained a good of education. Preliminary training school and block system in force.

Candidates also accepted at 17 years of age as **OPHTHALMIC TRA** to continue on attaining the age of 18 with associated training for a three years. Such candidates are eligible for the Moorfield Certificate and also for the Diploma of the Ophthalmic Nursing Board.

Apply Miss M. B. MacKellar, Matron.

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL

Queen's District Training

Training Homes in Guildford and Surbiton or training arranged in if desired. Four months for S.R.N.s who hold either S.C.M. or H.V. Cert or Nurses with 18 months previous district experience. Six months for S.R.N. Brochure and full particulars available upon application. Whitley salary conditions.

Apply the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Kingston-upon-Thame

CITY OF STOKE-ON-TRENT

APPOINTMENT OF STUDENT HEALTH VISITORS

Applications are invited for appointments of **Student Health Visito** courses of training beginning in London in January and April, 1957.

Applicants must be State Registered Nurses and possess Part I Certific the Central Midwives' Board.

The Corporation will pay 75 per cent of the Health Visitor's salary down by the Nurses' and Midwives' Whitley Council, the fees for the travelling expenses and will provide outdoor uniform.

Successful candidates will be requested to pass a medical examinatio must be prepared, if required, to give two years' service with the Corp after qualification, as Health Visitors.

Application forms can be obtained from the Medical Officer of St. Peter's Chambers, Glebe Street, Stoke-on-Trent, to whom they must be as soon as possible.

HARRY TAYLOR, Town Clerk.

ENGLISH LAKE DISTRICT

stmorland County Council invite appli- s from **Nurses**, wishing to undertake ined domiciliary duties of Midwifery, h Visiting and General Nursing in the ing areas.—

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ly to County Medical Officer of Health, y Hall, Kendal. (2353)

OUNTY BOROUGH OF OLDHAM
MIDWIVES SERVICE
APPOINTMENT OF
MUNICIPAL MIDWIFE

lications are invited from State Certi- idwives who are also State Registered for the appointment of **Municipal**

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EDWARD HAINES,
Town Clerk.
(2358)

MOUTHSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
APPOINTMENT OF
PERIPATETIC MIDWIFE

ations are invited for the post of **tic County Midwife** in the Eastern Area.

cants should not be over the age of s and should be able to drive a car. cation forms and conditions of service obtained from the County Medical to whom they should be returned r than the 31st October, 1956.

VERNON LAWRENCE,
Hall, Clerk of the Council.
t, Mon. (233C

UNTY BOROUGH OF OLDHAM
MIDWIVES SERVICE
Part II Training School
APPOINTMENT OF
INTENDENT OF MIDWIVES HOME

cations are invited from suitably d Midwives who are also State Regis- Nurses for the appointment of **ndent of Midwives Home** (training). y in accordance with the appropriate the Nurses' and Midwives' Whitley . The appointment is superannuable, to medical examination and residence Home. Car allowance is payable and ted purchase scheme is in operation. of application can be obtained from ical Officer of Health, Public Health ent, Town Hall, Oldham, to whom uld be returned immediately endorsed tendent of Midwives' Home".

EDWARD HAINES,
Town Clerk.
(2359)

NTY BOROUGH OF PRESTON

ations are invited from fully quali- ons for the appointment of **Health School Nurse and Tuberculosis Visitor** d post).

and conditions of service will be dance with the recommendations of tley Councils for the Health Services Britain), Nurses' and Midwives' Uniform will be provided.

ccessful candidate will be required a medical examination and to con- to the Council's Superannuation

of application may be obtained from ical Officer of Health, Municipal , Preston, and should be returned undersigned not later than 7th r, 1956.

W. E. E. LOCKLEY,
Town Clerk.
l Buildings, Preston.
(2334)

LINCOLNSHIRE
(PARTS OF HOLLAND)
COUNTY COUNCIL

tions are invited for the posts of **Nurse/Midwife** in the Pinchbeck also in the Sutton Bridge Area. ricts. Tuition provided for non- Furnished and partly furnished ac- tion available.

tion forms obtainable from the dical Officer, County Hall, Boston.

(2430)

WORCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Assisted Training Courses

HEALTH VISITORS' COURSE

State Registered Nurses holding Part I of the Certificate of the Central Midwives' Board are eligible to attend the Health Visitors' Training Course at Battersea Polytechnic commencing in January, April and September.

Approved candidates who agree to work as full-time health visitors in Worcestershire for at least 15 months after qualification, receive a salary of £360 per annum during the training year and thereafter according to the Whitley Council scale. A uniform allowance up to a maximum of £20 5s. 0d. on production of receipted accounts is payable and the examination fees are paid by the County Council.

QUEEN'S NURSING COURSE

Training is arranged at any of the Queen's Homes in the country. Candidates undertake to work in Worcestershire for a period of one year. The allowance is in accordance with the Whitley Council recommendation.

COMBINED COURSES

State Registered Nurses holding the Certificate of the Central Midwives' Board are eligible to apply for the Combined Health Visitor/District Nursing Course of the Queen's Institute of District Nurses.

Successful candidates who are prepared to work in Worcestershire for a period of two years after qualification receive a bursary to cover maintenance, tuition and examination fees.

Further information from the County Medical Officer, County Buildings, Worcester.

Will applicants please specify which course they are interested in.

(N.251.) (2059)

PREMATURE BABY NURSING

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses, State Certified Midwives and Registered Sick Children's Nurses for a three months' course of training in the Premature Baby Unit at the Nightingale Maternity Home, for which a certificate will be given. A shortened course of training of one month can be arranged for experienced Midwives.

Applications should be sent to the Matron, Nightingale Maternity Home, London Road, Derby. (2349)

MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL
QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING
WILLESDEN DISTRICT NURSE TRAINING HOME
17-19 PARK AVENUE, WILLESDEN, N.W.2

Applications invited from S.R.N. to train as Queen's Nurses at Training Home, Willesden. Four months' course commencing 1st January, 1957. Salary whilst training £375 p.a., less £123 p.a. for board and lodging, if res. On satisfactory completion of training £445 x £20—£565 x £5—£570 p.a., plus London Weighting where appropriate. Cyclists preferred. Applicants must have Parts I and II S.C.M. or have had at least 18 months experience as District Nurse. Subject to medical assessment and prescribed conditions.

Apply stating age, qualifications and experience to County Medical Officer, 3, 5 and 7 Old Queen Street, S.W.1, immediately (quote T.892 N.T.). Canvassing disqualifies. (2442)

CITY OF NOTTINGHAM

HEALTH SERVICES

Queen's Nurse Training

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses who wish to train as Queen's Nurses. There are a few vacancies for the course which is to commence in January, 1957. Salary during training will be at the rate of £375 per annum.

The course is non-residential, but furnished accommodation is available, for which an appropriate deduction from salary will be made.

Forms of application may be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, Health Department, Huntingdon Street, Nottingham, to whom they should be returned as soon as possible.

T. J. OWEN, Town Clerk. (2305)

PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES

COUNTY OF CORNWALL

Applications are invited for the following vacancies:

Penzance. One **District Nurse-Midwife** required. To share nurses' home with two others.

Treslothan. One **District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitor** required. Rooms available and prospect of house in near future.

Kea (Truro). One **District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitor** required. To make own living arrangements.

Kenwyn (Truro). One **District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitor** required. To make own living arrangements.

St. Austell. Two **District Nurse-Midwives** required. To live in small home for four nurses.

Bodmin. Two **District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitors** required. To share furnished house.

Wadebridge. Two **District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitors** required. To make own living arrangements at present, but unfurnished flat will be provided later.

St. Minver. One **District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitor** required. Furnished house available.

Delabole. One **District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitor** required. Furnished flat available.

Cars are provided for nurses or an allowance is given for own car, and applicants must hold current licences. Salary and service conditions in accordance with Whitley Council decisions.

Further information and forms of application may be obtained from the County Nursing Officer, The Crescent, Truro.

County Hall,
Truro.
8th October, 1956.

E. T. VERGER,
Clerk of the County Council.
(2306)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIFE

Applications invited for appointment as **District Nurse-Midwife** in the Hockley district of the South-East Essex Health Area. Candidates with approved district training preferred.

Application form from Area Medical Officer, 153 High Street, Rayleigh. Canvassing disqualifies. (2364)

NORTH RIDING COUNTY COUNCIL
APPOINTMENT OF NURSING STAFF

District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitor for generalised duties for each of the following districts:—Bowes, Nr. Barnard Castle. Croft, Nr. Darlington. Helperby, Nr. York. Yarm, Nr. Stockton-on-Tees. Unfurnished housing accommodation available except at Helperby. Car drivers.

Clinic Nurse for duty with the mobile maternity and child welfare unit to work in an area of 25 miles radius of York.

District Nurse-Midwives, S.R.N., S.C.M. for midwifery and home nursing duties, for Scalby and Newby and Eastfield districts of Scarborough.

Domiciliary Midwives, S.R.N., S.C.M., for midwifery duties in South Bank district. Unfurnished flat or unfurnished house available.

Relief District Nurse-Midwives for duty in administrative area. Car drivers essential.

Qualified Health Visitors required for Thornaby, Eston and Guisborough areas for health visiting and school nursing duties.

Whitley Council salary scales apply. Appointments superannuable and subject to medical examination.

Forms of application and further details from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Northallerton.

H. G. THORNLEY,
Clerk of the County Council.
18th October, 1956. (2429)

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM
EDUCATION COMMITTEE
SCHOOL NURSES

School Nurses required for School Health Service.

Candidates must possess Health Visitor qualifications.

Salary scale £480—£610 and Whitley Council conditions.

Application forms and further particulars obtainable from the undermentioned (s.a.e.) should be returned not later than 19th November, 1956.

Canvassing disqualifies.

E. L. RUSSELL,
Chief Education Officer.
Queen's College Chambers,
38a Paradise Street,
Birmingham, 1. (2337)

CITY OF BRADFORD
HEALTH DEPARTMENT
POST OF HEALTH VISITOR TUTOR

Applications are invited for the above-named post from persons holding the Health Visitor's Certificate and who have teaching experience and organising ability.

Preference will be given to candidates holding the Health Visitor Tutor's Certificate of the Royal College of Nursing.

Salary as recommended by the Whitley Council for Health Visitor Tutor in Sole Charge, £655 x £20—£755.

The duties are mainly connected with the training of Student Health Visitors.

Forms of application may be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, Town Hall, Bradford, 1, to whom they should be returned as soon as possible.

W. H. LEATHEM.
Town Clerk.
(2338)

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL
(Member of Queen's Institute)

Applications invited for the following appointments:—

District Midwife. Maidstone. District Teaching Midwife preferred. Motorist.

Home Nurse/Midwives. Aylesham. Unfurnished house available. Brenchley and District. Unfurnished house available. Ashford.

Group Relief Home Nurse/Midwives. Wye District. Motorist. Hoo District. Unfurnished flat available.

Salary and conditions of service recommended by Nurses' and Midwives' Council.

Application forms obtainable from County Medical Officer, County Hall, Maidstone.

(2379)

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM
HOME NURSING SERVICE

Queen's Nurses required for general nursing. Pleasant flats available for single nurses.

Applicants must be cyclists. Car purchase scheme available.

Salary according to Whitley Council scale.

Form of application and further information from: Medical Officer of Health, Council House, Birmingham, 3. (2342)

DENBIGHSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited for the post of **Health Visitor/School Nurse**—one in the Denbigh district and one in the Wrexham district.

Applicants must possess the Health Visitor's Certificate of the Royal Sanitary Institute.

Whitley Council conditions of service and car allowance payable in accordance with the County Council's scale.

Forms of application can be obtained from the County Medical Officer, County Health Offices, 16 Grosvenor Road, Wrexham, to whom they should be returned by not later than 30th November, 1956.

W. E. BUFTON,
Clerk of the County Council.
County Offices, Ruthin. (2408)

MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL

COUNTY HEALTH DEPT.

1. **Domiciliary Midwives.** (a) Area No. 4 (Finchley and Hendon). Furnished accommodation available. Able to drive car. (b) Hornsey portion of Area No. 3 (Tottenham and Hornsey). Unfurnished accomm. available. (c) Area No. 6 (Wembley and Willesden). Non-res. Must be S.C.M. and Gen. S.R.N. preferred. N.M.C. salary.

2. **Residential School Nurses** (female, res. or non-res.). Night duties at Suntrap Residential School (for delicate boys and girls, 5-16 years), Hayling Island. Must be Gen. S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. Salary £485-£610 p.a., less £164 if res., or £41 for meals and laundry if non-res.

3. **Assistant Residential School Nurse** (female, res.). Day duties at St. Michael's Residential School (for severely handicapped children, 6-16 years), Eastcote, Pinner. Must be S.E.A.N. Salary £374-£490 per annum less £146 for res. accommodation.

Posts 1 to 3: provision for uniform.

Apply by 10th November, stating age, quals., experce. and two referees to Post 1(a)—Area Medical Officer, Towa Hall, Hendon, N.W.4. Posts 2 and 3—County Medical Officer, Ref. "S", 3, 5 and 7 Old Queen Street, Westminster, S.W.1. Application forms from, Post 1(b)—Area Medical Officer, Local County Offices, Somerset Road, Tottenham, N.17, returnable by 10th November. Post 1(c)—Joint Area Medical Officer, 215 Chevening Road, Kilburn, N.W.6, returnable immediately.

WELFARE DEPT.

4. **Enrolled Assistant Nurses** (female, res. or non-res.). Percy House, Twickenham Road, Isleworth (large Home for aged persons). N.M.C. salary £374-£490 p.a., plus London Weighting if non-res. If res. £146 p.a. charged for board, lodging, etc., or £41 p.a. if non-res., for meals on duty, uniform, etc.

5. **Matrons' Assistants** (res.) for the following homes for aged and infirm persons: 22 Park Hill, Ealing, W.5; 79 Bessborough Road, Harrow; Newell Hall, Warfield, Nr. Bracknell, Berks. Duties include attending to needs of residents, maintenance of linen and relieving Matron and other staff as necessary. Salary £260-£305 p.a., plus residential accommodation valued at £170 p.a.

6. **Female Attendant** (res. or non-res.). The Leys, Barnet Lane, Elstree, Herts. (Home for aged women). 131/6d. p. 48-hr. wk., less 45/3d. if res. for board, lodging, etc. Protective clothing free.

Apply immediately giving full particulars to: Post 4—Superintendent, Post 6—Matron of Home concerned. Post 5—Chief Welfare Officer, 1 Queen Anne's Gate Buildings, Dartmouth Street, Westminster, S.W.1, giving age, quals., details of present post, previous experience and three referees.

All posts established, initially in areas/establishments stated. Subject to medical assessment and prescribed conditions (quote T.864 N.T.). Canvassing disqualifies. (2443)

HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

(Affiliated to Queen's Institute of District Nursing)

QUEEN'S KEY TRAINING HOME, WATFORD

District Trained Nurses. Two required.

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIVES

Bishop's Stortford. Furnished or unfurnished house. Car provided.

Hemel Hempstead (New Town). Three required. Increase in staff. Houses available. Car district.

Hatfield. Furnished or unfurnished house. Car provided.

HEALTH VISITOR/SCHOOL NURSES

Stevenage. Uniform provided. Cycle allowance.

Cheshunt/Waltham Cross. Due to increase in staff an additional Health Visitor required. Uniform provided. Cycle allowance.

Hatfield. Uniform provided. Cycle allowance.

Boreham Wood. Uniform provided. Cycle allowance.

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIFE/HEALTH VISITORS

Northaw and Cuffley. Rooms at present, house later. Car provided.

Welwyn. Possibility of house later. Car provided.

Codicote. Furnished or unfurnished house. Car provided.

TRAINING SCHOLARSHIPS

Queen's District Training. Four months' training course for S.R.N., S.C.M. candidates Commencing in January, May and September. Six months' course for S.R.N. Entry dates: March, July and November. Salary £252 plus full emoluments.

Tuition and examination fees paid by County Council. Successful applicant will be required to serve the County Council for a further one year on completion of course.

Forms from County Medical Officer, County Hall, Hertford, Herts. (2440)

SOMERSET COUNTY COUNCIL

MIDWIFERY AND NURSING SERVICES

Whitley Council Conditions

General District Nurse for **Taunton** required, preferably with district training. Resident in nurses' home or non-resident.

Combined Posts. Queen's District Nurse-Midwives or **S.R.N., S.C.M.** with Health Visitor's Certificate or willing to train. Motorists or will to learn, help given with driving tuition. Cars provided.

Watchet. Attractive seaside. Double vacancy. House available.

Yatton, Nr. Bristol. Double district. House provided, furnished or unfurnished.

Dulverton. Rural area in lovely country. Furnished house, suitable for nurse with relative.

South Petherton, Nr. Yeovil. Double district. Furnished house.

Minehead. Attractive seaside town. Vacancy for two. Accommodation available.

Spaxton. Rural district on Quantocks. Accommodation available.

Chewton Mendip. Rural area. Attractive furnished bungalow.

Relief Nurse-Midwives required. Permanent or temporary posts. Motorists or willing to learn, financial help given towards tuition.

For further particulars apply to County Medical Officer of Health, County Hall, Taunton. (2245)

WARWICKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the following vacancies. The accommodation mentioned will be available either furnished or unfurnished at charges in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations.

District Nurse for Bedworth (urban). Accommodation in house adapted for nursing staff—flat later. Motorist.

District Midwife for Nuneaton and district (town). New house, pleasant site. Motorist.

Two District Nurse-Midwives for Grendon and district (rural) **or one District Nurse and one Midwife.** Share house. Motorists.

Motorists can receive allowance for own car or car will be provided.

Application forms and full particulars may be obtained from the Area Medical Officer, Council House, Nuneaton.

The Council is a member of the Queen's Institute of District Nursing.

Shire Hall, Warwick.
11th October, 1956.

L. EDGAR STEPHENS,
Clerk of the Council.
(2260)

COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE WEST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE

HEALTH VISITORS

Doncaster. Rural district.
Keighley Area.
Stocksbridge, Nr. Sheffield.
Cudworth, Nr. Barnsley.
Pontefract.

MIDWIVES

Pontefract. Unfurnished house available.
High Green, Nr. Sheffield. Possibility of unfurnished house.
Sowerby Bridge. Own accommodation.
Rawmarsh. Unfurnished flat available.
Penistone. Own accommodation.
Parson Cross. Own accommodation.
Spenborough. Possibility of unfurnished house.
Rossington. Unfurnished prefab. available.
Bentley-Woodlands Area, Nr. Doncaster. Own accommodation.

HOME NURSE-MIDWIVES

Penistone, Nr. Sheffield. Double district—suit two friends. Unfurnished furnished house available.
Skelmanthorpe, Nr. Huddersfield. Unfurnished flat available. Motorist.
Bramham, Nr. Leeds. Unfurnished accommodation available. Motorist.
Otley. Unfurnished flat available.
Ripon. Two single districts or double district—suit two friends. Motorist preferred.
Crosshills. Furnished accommodation if required. Motorist.
Boston Spa, Nr. Wetherby. Relief. Furnished accommodation. Motorist.
Ingleton. Own accommodation. Motorist.

HOME NURSES

Castleford. Unfurnished flat available.
Doncaster. Rural district.

Applicants for the post of District Nurse should be State Registered Nurses preferably with Queen's District Training. Consideration will, however, be given to applicants desirous of undertaking Queen's District Training under an Assisted Scheme.

STUDENT DISTRICT NURSES

The County Council invites applications from State Registered Nurses who are desirous of obtaining their Queen's Certificate and preference will be given to nurses who are also S.C.M. Successful applicants will, on the completion of their training, be required to take up duty in any area of the West Riding.

Application forms and details relating to the above vacancies and also to training of Queen's District Nurses may be obtained from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire. (2200)

NORFOLK COUNTY NURSING ASSOCIATION

Applications are invited from District Nurse-Midwives/Health Visitors, Queen's or S.R.N., S.C.M., for the following areas:

Loddon, Nr. Norwich. Rural area. Combined duties. Unfurnished house provided.

Hilgay, Nr. Downham Market. Rural district.

Costessey, Nr. Norwich. General duties and relief midwifery.

Raveningham. Rural district. Unfurnished house.

Hempnall, Nr. Norwich. Rural area. House provided.

Melton Constable. Double district. Combined duties. Rural area. Nice unfurnished house available in pleasant surroundings.

Watton. Rural area. Midwifery and general nursing. Prospect of unfurnished house.

Tilney All Saints. Rural area near King's Lynn. Combined duties. Unfurnished house.

Scholarships available for Health Visitor Training and arrangements made for Queen's Nurse training.

Staff Needed. Relief duties. For holiday or longer periods.

Whitley salary scales and conditions. Motorists—allowance for own vehicle or cars provided.

Apply Superintendent Nursing Officer, 29 Thorpe Road, Norwich. (2

WORCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the following appointments. Salary and conditions of service according to Whitley Council recommendations. Forms from County Medical Officer, County Buildings, Worcester.

HEALTH VISITOR AND SCHOOL NURSE

Oldbury Area.
Evesham Area.

HOME NURSE-MIDWIFE/HEALTH VISITOR

Bretforton Area. Furnished house available. Car area.

Hallow Area. Two vacancies. Shared furnished accommodation available. Both car areas.

Hanbury Area. New unfurnished bungalow to be available in February.

HOME NURSE-MIDWIFE

Bromsgrove Area. Car area.

Catshill Area. House will be built next year. Car area.

Headless Cross Area. One vacancy in double district. Shared furnished house. Car available.

Stourbridge Area. Car area.

(N.250). (2

SALOP COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the following vacancies in the County of Salop:

Albrighton, Nr. Wolverhampton. Combined duties—Home Nursing and Midwifery. New house available, furnished or unfurnished. Car area.

Bridgnorth. Combined duties—Home Nursing and Midwifery. Council house available, furnished or unfurnished. Car area.

Tibberton. Generalised duties—Home Nursing, Midwifery and Health Visiting. Council house available, furnished or unfurnished. Car area. Vacant 1st January, 1957.

Application forms and full particulars obtainable from:

County Health Department,
College Hill, Shrewsbury.
October, 1956.

T. S. HALL,
County Medical Officer of Health. (2

FLINTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL invites applications from suitably qualified persons for two posts of full-time **Relief Nurse-Midwife**—one to be stationed in the centre of the County and one in the eastern area of the County. Preference will be given to Nurses with Queen's training. Salary in accordance with Whitley (Nurses' and Midwives' Council) Scheme. Travelling allowance and uniform provided. Assistance will be given to obtain suitable accommodation.

Further particulars and forms of application may be obtained from the Clerk of the County Council, County Buildings (P.O. Box No. 1), Mold. Closing date 3rd November, 1956. (2

BERKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the following appointments of **Home Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitors.** Cars provided in all areas.

Bucklebury. One **Nurse** required. Furnished house.
Didcot. Two **Nurses** required. Share furnished house.
Faringdon. Two **Nurses** required. Share specially designed house, furnished/unfurnished.
Hungerford. Two **Nurses** required. Share furnished house.
Newbury. Two **Nurses** required. Share furnished house.
Twyford. Two **Nurses** required. Share furnished/unfurnished house.
Steventon. One **Nurse** required. Furnished/unfurnished bungalow.
Wantage. One **Nurse** required. Share furnished house with another.

Applicants must be State Registered Nurses, State Certified Midwives and District trained, and should be motorists or willing to learn to drive. Possession of Health Visitor Certificate is desirable.

Newbury. **District Nurse-Midwife** required. Share furnished house with another.
Windsor. Two **District Nurses** required, one to undertake relief midwifery. Furnished house provided.

Salary and conditions of service in accordance with the Whitley Award.

Further information and forms of application obtainable from the County Medical Officer, Public Health Department, 10 Abbot's Walk, Reading. (2374)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL
DISTRICT MIDWIVES

Applications invited for appointment of **District Midwives** in undermentioned districts of Forest Health Area:

Harlow. Unfurnished house available.
Buckhurst Hill. Unfurnished house possibly available.

Applicants must be S.R.N., S.C.M. Car drivers essential.

Application forms from Area Medical Officer, Municipal Offices, Woodford, E.18. Canvassing disqualifies. (2457)

LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitor required for the Broughton-in-Furness area. Queen's Institute training an advantage. Furnished bungalow provided. Car driver required.

Male District Nurse required for Colne. Must be district trained. Unfurnished flat available. Car driver required.

Whitley Council salary scales. Appointments superannuable and subject to medical examination.

Applications to County Medical Officer of Health, Serial 912, East Cliff County Offices, Preston. (2392)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL
DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIFE

Applications invited for appointment of **District Nurse-Midwife** in Rayleigh district of South East Essex Health Area. Two bedroomed house available. Candidates with approved district training preferred.

Application form from Area Medical Officer, 153 High Street, Rayleigh. Canvassing disqualifies. (2456)

ISLE OF ELY COUNTY NURSING ASSOCIATION

Wisbech. Urgently required, married couple (both **Queen's Nurses)** the wife to be a **S.C.M.**, or two **District Nurse-Midwives** (Queen's or non-Queen's).

New nurses' house available immediately. Furnished or unfurnished. Car provided. General nursing and midwifery undertaken.

Salary and conditions of service in accordance with the Nurses' and Midwives' Whitley Council recommendations.

Application forms and further information may be obtained from the Superintendent Nursing Officer, County Hall, March, Cambs. (2436)

[CO]UNTY BOROUGH OF ST. HELENS
HEALTH DEPARTMENT
HEALTH VISITOR

[App]lications are invited from qualified [Healt]h **Visitors** for the above appontment. [Salar]y scale in accordance with the Whitley [Counc]il for Health Services. Uniform pro[vided]. Previous experience as Health Visitor [will] be taken into account in fixing the com[mencin]g salary.

[App]lication forms and further particulars [of ap]pointment may be obtained from the [unders]igned.

G. O'BRIEN,
Medical Officer of Health.

[Town] Hall, St. Helens, Lancs.
[...]r, 1956. (2372)

[W]ILTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

[App]lications invited for following super[annuab]le appointments. Whitley Council [...]

[...] **Visitors.**
[...]den. Council house available for rent.
[...]esbury **Area.** Motorist.
[Appl]y to Clerk of the Council, County [Hall], Trowbridge. (2412)

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL

[Healt]h **Visitors** are required in County of [Kent]. Salaries and conditions of service are [in accor]dance with the recommendations of the [Nurses] and Midwives' Council. Forms of [applica]tion obtainable from the County [Medica]l Officer, County Hall, Maidstone. (2416)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

[Healt]h **Visitors required. Salary and other [conditio]ns of service in accordance with [nationa]lly negotiated agreements.**
[Appli]cation forms obtainable from County [Medica]l Officer of Health, County Hall, [Chelmsf]ord. Apply immediately. (x95)

[O]CCUPATIONAL HEALTH NURSING VACANCIES

[...] **Registered Nurse** (female) required [b]y main surgery in large Engineering [...]. Preference will be given to appli[cants w]ith previous experience in industry [and] the Industrial Nursing Certificate. [...]ic Nursing Certificate an advantage. [Ap]plicants who are genuinely interested [in this] branch of nursing need apply. Royal [College] of Nursing scale of salary. Apply [giving p]articulars of age, qualifications and [experienc]e, to Chief Medical Officer, Guest, [Keen an]d Nettlefolds (Midlands) Ltd., Heath [...] Birmingham, 18. (2375)

[...] in all branches of Occupational Nursing will find the **"Journal for [Industria]l Nurses"** valuable and interesting. [Publishe]d quarterly by the "Nursing Times", [Macmilla]n & Co. Ltd., St. Martin's Street, W.C.2., price 4/-; annual subscription [...]. [Fre]e specimen copy sent on application [to the] Manager, stating post held. (53)

Registered Nurse (Female) required [by Ex]ide Batteries Limited. [The su]ccessful candidate will be based [at the fa]ctory at Clifton Junction, Nr. Man[chester], but will be expected to work for [short] periods as Holiday Relief at the [Company']s branches in other parts of the [country]. The possession of the Industrial [Nursing] Cert. is an advantage, but is not [essential]. Free uniform will be supplied. [Salary] according to experience and quali[fications].

[Applica]tions in writing to The Chief [Medical] Officer, Exide Works, Clifton [Junction], Swinton, Manchester. (2251)

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL
(Affiliated to the Queen's Institute of District Nursing)

Sutton, Carshalton and Wallington. District Nurses required. Accommodation available in nurses' home.

Thursley. District Nurse-Midwife required. Furnished cottage. Motorist essential.

These are full-time superannuable posts and the salaries and conditions of service are in accordance with the Whitley Council awards.

Candidates should apply to the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Kingston-upon-Thames. (2399)

BEDFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited for the following appointments:
Health Visitor/School Nurses (two) to work in Bedford and district.
Health Visitor/School Nurse for Stotfold, Arlesey and Henlow. Motorist essential.

Further particulars and forms of application from County Medical Officer, Phoenix Chambers, High Street, Bedford. (2420)

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications invited for post of **County Midwife** at Mansfield. Housing accommodation available. Use of private car approved and loan towards purchase may be considered. Salary and conditions of service as prescribed by Nurses' and Midwives' Council.

Application forms and further particulars from County Medical Officer, County Hall, Trent Bridge, Nottingham.

A. R. DAVIS,
Clerk of the County Council. (2422)

BUCKS COUNTY COUNCIL
MIDWIFERY AND HOME NURSING SERVICES

Applications are invited for the following posts and courses:

Aylesbury (Southcourt). One **District Nurse-Midwife** required. Small, modern flat available (furnished or unfurnished). Car provided.

High Wycombe. Domiciliary Midwife required to assist with training Pupil Midwives. Resident post. Car provided.

Wolverton. Two **District Nurse-Midwives** required. Suitable for friends. House and cars provided.

Relief Nurses required for long or short periods. Cars provided.

Queen's Nursing Course. Training is arranged with the Queen's Institute of District Nursing. Four or six months' course according to qualifications. Candidates undertake to work in Buckinghamshire for a period of one year.

Apply County Medical Officer, County Offices, Aylesbury. (2458)

SOMERSET COUNTY COUNCIL

Assistant County Nursing Officer required. Applicants must be experienced Queen's Nurse-Midwives with Health Visitor's Certificate and car drivers. Salary according to scale. Car allowance. Further particulars on request.

Apply County Medical Officer of Health, County Hall, Taunton, Somerset. (2454)

HOSPITAL AND OTHER NURSING VACANCIES

LISTERDALE MATERNITY HOME
WICKERSLEY, Nr. ROTHERHAM
(22 beds, 22 cots)

Applications are invited for the post of **Matron.** This home is three miles from Rotherham in pleasant surroundings. Whitley Council salary.

Applications stating age, qualifications and experience, with names of three referees, to Secretary, Rotherham and Mexborough Hospital Management Committee, "Fern Bank", Doncaster Road, Rotherham. (2322)

Personnel and Welfare Officer required by manufacturing firm employing 250, mainly female, in modern factory. Duties include responsibility for surgery, recruiting, interviewing applicants for employment, canteen and general welfare. Applicants, aged 22—30, should have had general nursing experience, preferably S.R.N. and some experience of industry would be an advantage. Salary from £400—£600 according to experience. Reply to Managing Director, The Wescot Overall Manufacturing Co. Ltd., Runnymede Works, Egham, Surrey. (2376)

S.E.A.N.s (female) required by Courtaulds Ltd., for Works Surgery. Three-shift work, average week 42 hours. Progressive salary scale. Superannuation scheme.

Apply in writing, giving full details of experience to Sister-in-Charge, Surgery, Dunstall Hall Works, Wolverhampton. (2435)

Sister-in-Charge required for Industrial post which is becoming vacant due to marriage, on 1st February. Previous experience in industry preferred. Well established surgery with two assistants. Salary according to age and qualifications. Uniform and laundry allowance. Superannuation Scheme. Five-day week. Apply, marking your letter "Personal", to Ref. CCP/W. **Crompton Parkinson Ltd., Chelmsford, Essex.** (2326)

HOSPITAL AND OTHER NURSING VACANCIES

DEVA HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE, CHESTER
(Revised Advertisement)

Applications invited for the appointment of **Matron** at Deva Mental Hospital, Chester (1,079 beds for women); a recognised training school for mental and state enrolled assistant nurses.

Applicants must be R.M.N. and S.R.N. and have had considerable experience in a senior nursing appointment and as a Ward Sister.

Salary scale £1,070 x £30 (3) x £35 (3) —£1,265 p.a.

The successful applicant may be resident at a charge of £278 p.a. for accommodation and services or may be non-resident provided that she lives within one mile of the hospital.

Application forms obtainable from the undersigned, to be returned by 5th November, 1956.

K. C. WHITE,
Group Secretary.

17th October, 1956. (2380)

WINCHESTER GROUP OF HOSPITALS
MOUNT SANATORIUM
BISHOPSTOKE, Nr. EASTLEIGH, HANTS.
MATRON

The post of **Matron** at the above sanatorium will become vacant on the 1st April, 1957.

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons.

There are 90 beds for male patients, and medical and post-operative treatment of tuberculosis is undertaken.

The Whitley Council scale and conditions of service will apply. The scale is at present £710—£845 p.a. (exclusive of allowance for T.B. nursing) and a deduction of £219 p.a. is made for board, residence.

Further particulars of the post can be obtained from the undersigned.

Applications, giving full details of qualifications, age and experience, and the names of two referees, should be sent to the Group Secretary, Royal Hampshire County Hospital, Winchester, not later than 30th November, 1956. (2460)

BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the Matron of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated), from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with the appropriate National Scales.

BIRMINGHAM AND DISTRICT

MATRON

BLOXWICH MATERNITY HOSPITAL. Applications are invited from practising Midwives (S.R.N., S.C.M.) for the resident appointment of Matron at this busy general practitioner hospital of 14 beds. Apply Group Secretary, Walsall General (Sister Dora) Hospital.

SISTER TUTORS

MOXLEY HOSPITAL, WEDNESBURY (104 beds). Qualified for complete Fever Training School. (Situated between Birmingham and Wolverhampton.) Resident or non-resident.

SELLY OAK HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 29 (General—1,027 beds. Midwifery Training School—30 beds and 30 cots). Qualified. One of two working under Principal Sister Tutor, for General Training School. Experience in all sections of training following the P.T.S. period.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

SELLY OAK HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 29 (General—1,027 beds). Training School for Student Nurses and Assistant Nurses. S.R.N., S.C.M. with staff of two Night Sisters. Excellent opportunity for administrative experience. Candidates must have had Ward Sister's experience and be interested in the training of Student Nurses.

HOME SISTER

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). Assistant Home Sister.

NIGHT SISTERS

BIRMINGHAM & MIDLAND EAR & THROAT HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 3 (E.N.T.—76 beds). In sole charge.

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). Junior Night Sister for general part of the hospital.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General and Fever Training School—700 beds). Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTER

SELLY OAK HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 29 (General—1,027 beds. Midwifery Training School—30 beds and 30 cots). One of three working under Superintendent.

SISTERS

ROYAL ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (242 beds). Ward Sister. O.N.C. essential.

SELLY OAK HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 29 (General—1,027 beds). Training School for Student Nurses and Assistant Nurses. S.R.N. for Nurses' Sick Bay.

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric —1,066 beds). **Ward Sisters.** Resident or non-resident.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 beds). Ward Sister.

WEST BROMWICH AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL (144 beds). Experienced Sister for Women's Medical Ward.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis 210 beds). Ward Sister for Male Ward.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, LICHFIELD (General—34 beds. Maternity—11 beds). Holiday Relief Midwifery Sister. S.C.M., S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

BIRMINGHAM & MIDLAND EAR & THROAT HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 3 (76 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

CARNEGIE PREMATURE BABY UNIT, BIRMINGHAM, 19 (18 Premature Baby beds). S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. or S.C.M. Certificates given after six months. Resident or non-resident. Apply to Sister-in-Charge.

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). For Gynaecological Department. Excellent experience in theatre work.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General and Fever Training School—700 beds). For Ophthalmic Ward; also R.F.N. Resident or non-resident.

SELLY OAK HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 29 (General—1,027 beds. Midwifery Training School—30 beds and 30 cots). Full-time. For all wards and departments.

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric —1,066 beds). **Male and female.** Modern nurses' home with recreational facilities for staff wishing to be resident.

THE SKIN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 15 (Dermatology—59 beds). For Male Wards.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 beds). Staff Nurses including one for Children's Ward and a Theatre Staff Nurse.

WEST BROMWICH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL. Staff Nurse for theatre. Male applicants considered.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis— 210 beds). Male or female. S.R.N. or B.T.A. Certificate. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (413 beds, including Surgical Unit, Orthopaedic and Children's Wards). S.R.N. or B.T.A. for Operating Theatre. Resident or non-resident.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES

BIRMINGHAM AND MIDLAND EYE HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 3 (Ophthalmic—156 beds). Immediate vacancies for S.R.N.s to qualify for the Diploma of the Ophthalmic Nursing Board. Curriculum covers one year, with status of Staff Nurse.

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). Trained Nurses for six months' course in premature baby nursing. Modern department and nurses' home.

MARSTON GREEN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (140 beds). Applications invited from trained Nurses desirous of taking a course of training in the care of premature babies. Vacancies occur December, March, June and September. S.R.N., R.S.C.N. and S.C.M. accepted. A certificate given at the completion of six months' training.

MIDLAND CENTRE FOR NEUROSURGERY (75 beds) Six months' course for Staff Nurses in neurosurgical and neurological nursing. Certificate awarded. Resident or non-resident. Apply Matron for full particulars and brochure.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (413 beds, including Surgical Unit, Orthopaedic and Children's Wards). General trained Nurses for one year's training for B.T.A. Certificate.

BIRMINGHAM AND DISTRICT—Contd.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BIRMINGHAM & MIDLAND EAR & THROAT HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 3 (76 beds). S.E.A.N.s. Full-time. Also one for night duty, full or part-time.

CARNEGIE PREMATURE BABY UNIT, BIRMINGHAM, 19 (18 Premature Baby beds). Resident or non-resident. Apply to Sister-in-Charge.

MARSTON GREEN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (140 beds).

ST. MICHAEL'S HOSPITAL, CHEST UNIT, LICHFIELD (Chest—12 beds. Out-patients' Department). Resident or non-resident.

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric —1,066 beds). **Male and female.** Day and night duty. Modern nurses' home with recreational facilities for staff wishing to be resident.

THE SKIN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 15 (Dermatology—59 beds). Male or female. Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 beds).

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis —210 beds). Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (413 beds, including Surgical Unit, Orthopaedic and Children's Wards). Resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 beds. Maternity—125 beds. Premature Baby Unit).

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). For modern Maternity Unit.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 beds. Maternity—125 beds. Premature Baby Unit).

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). For modern Maternity Unit.

HEATHFIELD ROAD MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 19 (50 beds. Premature Baby Unit). Resident or non-resident. Part II Training School.

MARSTON GREEN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (140 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Good Labour Ward experience given.

SORRENTO MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 13. Part I Training School. To work in all midwifery departments. Six months' training in care of premature baby given, if requested, to S.C.M.s and R.S.C.N.s.

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, LICHFIELD (General—34 beds. Maternity—11 beds). S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 beds).

PUPIL MIDWIVES

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 beds. Maternity—125. Premature Baby Unit). Part I Midwifery Training School. Modern department. Block system of training in operation. Vacancies occur 28th January, 11th March and 22nd April. There are also vacancies for non-State Registered Nurses to take Midwifery Training Part I (21 months). Candidates should be between 20 and 35 years.

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). For modern Midwifery Training School. Separate Premature Baby Unit. Study day per week. Next course commences 1st November and every three months.

HEATHFIELD ROAD MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 19 (50 beds. Premature Baby Unit). Period II Midwifery Training School. Instruction given in gas and air analgesia. Vacancies occur each month. Training: three months in hospital followed by three months district.

MARSTON GREEN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (140 beds). Complete Midwifery Training School. S.R.N. only accepted for 12 months' course of training. The course includes 14 days in the school, instruction in gas and air analgesia. Three months district. Schools November, February, May and August. Pupil Midwives accepted for Second Period training. S.R.N. or non-S.R.N. Schools commence December, March, June and September.

SELLY OAK HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 29 (General—1,027 beds. Midwifery Training School—30 beds and 30 cots). S.R.N.s for Part I Midwifery Training six months. Vacancies 25th January, 1957.

SORRENTO MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 13. Part I Training Schools commence 1st February, 1st May, 1st August, 1st November. Experience in Premature Baby Unit.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 beds). Part II.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis— 210 beds). Resident or non-resident.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (413 beds, including Surgical Unit, Orthopaedic and Children's Wards). Resident or non-resident.

STAFFORDSHIRE

DEPUTY MATRON

BURTON ROAD HOSPITAL, DUDLEY, WORCS. (Chronic Sick—1,040 beds). Resident Temporary Deputy Matron, S.R.N. and preferably S.C.M. (approximate period, six months). Excellent opportunity for administrative experience.

STAFF NURSES

PRESTWOOD SANATORIUM, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—200 male and female beds). Two Staff Nurses, for day or night duty as required. B.T.A. preferred but facilities for taking the B.T.A. examination available. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE (Acute—472 beds). For Acute Medical and Surgical Wards and Plastic Unit. Female, resident or non-resident. Male, non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE (Acute—472 beds). Two in 34-bedded unit, working under Departmental Sister. Resident or non-resident.

BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

STOKE-ON-TRENT AND DISTRICT

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

NORTH STAFFS ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL (455 beds). Holiday Relief Administrative Sister for Matron's Office and Nurses' Home.

NIGHT SISTERS

BIDDULPH GRANGE ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL (Children's Orthopaedic—104 beds). S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. (orthopaedic experience preferred).

NORTH STAFFS ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (455 beds). For Private Patients' Department.

THEATRE SISTERS

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (845 beds).

HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL (96 beds).

NORTH STAFFS ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (455 beds). For Private Patients' Department; also for General Hospital—one of three working under Theatre Superintendent.

SISTERS

BIDDULPH GRANGE ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (Children's Orthopaedic—104 beds). **Ward Sister,** S.R.N. R.S.C.N. desirable but not essential. Previous experience orthopaedic nursing.

BUCKNALL ISOLATION HOSPITAL (202 beds). **Ward Sister,** S.R.N., R.F.N.

GROUNDSLOW HOSPITAL, TITTENSOR (T.B.—100 beds). Ward Sister.

LEEK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL (27 beds). **Ward Sister,** S.R.N.

NORTH STAFFS ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL (455 beds). Ward Sisters, S.R.N., one for Ophthalmic Unit. O.N.C. desirable, but not essential, and one for Female Medical Ward. Also Ward Sister for Ear, Nose and Throat Unit, and one S.R.N., R.S.C.N. for Children's Ward.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

CHESHIRE JOINT SANATORIUM, Nr. MARKET DRAYTON (305 beds). Ward Sister.

STAFF NURSES

BAGNALL HOSPITAL (Child T.B.—56 beds). S.R.N.

BRADWELL HOSPITAL, CHESTERTON, NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME. S.R.N. T.A. desirable. Resident or non-resident.

BUCKNALL ISOLATION HOSPITAL (202 beds). S.R.N. **Male and female.** For Chronic Ward.

CHEADLE HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (Chronic—82 beds).

CHESHIRE JOINT SANATORIUM, Nr. MARKET DRAYTON (T.B.—206 beds). S.R.N.s to take one year's course for the British T.A. Certificate. Excellent experience in modern methods of treatment and thoracic surgery nursing.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT. For Theatres, General Wards and Children's Ward.

GROUNDSLOW HOSPITAL, TITTENSOR (T.B.—100 beds).

HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL (96 beds). S.R.N. for Theatre and Surgical Wards. Also S.R.N. for Children's Ward and for Casualty Department.

LIMES MATERNITY HOSPITAL, HARTSHILL (46 beds). Two required. For Premature Baby Unit.

NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL (455 beds). For Private Patients' Block. Also for General Wards and Departments. Resident or non-resident.

ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, HARTSHILL. S.R.N.s.

STANFIELD SANATORIUM, TUNSTALL (71 beds). S.R.N.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BAGNALL HOSPITAL (Child T.B.—56 beds). Female.

BRADWELL HOSPITAL, NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME (T.B.—44 beds).

BUCKNALL ISOLATION HOSPITAL (202 beds). Male and female for Chronic Ward.

CHEADLE HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (Chronic—82 beds).

GROUNDSLOW HOSPITAL, TITTENSOR (T.B.—100 beds).

HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL (Acute General). For duties in Maternity Department.

LEEK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL (27 beds). Female.

LEEK MOORLANDS HOSPITAL (Chronic and General—132 beds).

STANFIELD SANATORIUM, TUNSTALL (71 beds).

WESTCLIFFE HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL (Chronic—213 beds). **Two required. Male.**

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

FANNY DEAKIN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, CHESTERTON, NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME (16 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL. S.R.N., S.C.M.

LEEK MOORLANDS HOSPITAL (Chronic and General—132 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., for night duty (10 bed unit).

STAFF MIDWIVES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (Maternity Unit—60 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. **Apply Matron, Limes Maternity Hospital,** Hartshill, Stoke-on-Trent.

LEEK MOORLANDS HOSPITAL (Chronic and General—132 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., for unit of 10 beds.

HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL (Acute General). S.R.N., S.C.M. for modern Maternity Unit of 30 beds.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (General and Maternity—845 beds). Complete Training School, Parts I and II. **Part I at The City General Hospital.** Study day system of training. S.R.N. and non-S.R.N. pupils accepted for six and eighteen months' training respectively. **Part II at The Limes Maternity Hospital (44 beds). Gas and Air Analgesia** training available in both hospitals. Applications for both Part I and Part II to the **Matron, The Limes Maternity Hospital, Hartshill, Stoke-on-Trent.**

COVENTRY AND DISTRICT

SISTERS

GEORGE ELIOT HOSPITAL, NUNEATON (Acute General—275 beds). Senior Ward Sister—Female Medical and Surgical Ward. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

GEORGE ELIOT HOSPITAL, NUNEATON (Acute General—275 beds). For General Theatres. Resident or non-resident.

WARWICKSHIRE

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

WARWICK HOSPITAL (320 beds). One for Orthopaedic Ward.

WORCESTERSHIRE

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

MALVERN GENERAL HOSPITAL (22 beds). For Theatre and Out-patients. Resident.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, DROITWICH (Rheumatic Diseases—64 beds). Able to deputise for Matron. Hospital convenient to Worcester.

NIGHT SISTERS

AVONSIDE HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (Long-stay and Maternity—260 beds). Night Sister in sole charge. Also Night Sister.

RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—251 beds. Maternity Unit of 50 beds). Part I Midwifery Training School. Two required for busy abnormal Midwifery Unit. Excellent experience.

THE CORBETT HOSPITAL, STOURBRIDGE (General—114 beds). General Training School. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—251 beds. Maternity—50 beds). Previous experience essential. One of three for busy theatres.

SISTERS

BROMSGROVE GENERAL HOSPITAL (General and Part II Midwifery Training School—423 beds). Sister for Surgical Ward and Geriatric Ward Sister.

SHRUB HILL HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (116 beds. Maternity—18 beds). Ward Sisters.

STAFF NURSES

BROMSGROVE GENERAL HOSPITAL (General and Part II Midwifery Training School—423 beds).

EVESHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL (50 beds).

MALVERN GENERAL HOSPITAL (22 beds). Non-resident.

RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—251 beds. Maternity—50 beds). For Acute Medical and Surgical Wards; also for night duty.

ST. WULSTAN'S HOSPITAL, MALVERN (Tuberculosis—250 beds).

THE CORBETT HOSPITAL, STOURBRIDGE (General Training School—114 beds). For General Wards and Theatre.

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY (General—213 beds). **School of Nursing** (including Ronkswood Hospital). Staff Nurse with Orthopaedic Certificate for Orthopaedic Wards; S.R.N., R.S.C.N. for Medical Ward of a modern Paediatric Unit; Staff Nurses for Theatre and for Private Wards.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES

ST. WULSTAN'S HOSPITAL, MALVERN (Tuberculosis—250 beds). Staff Nurses for B.T.A. Certificate.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

AVONSIDE HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (Long-stay and Maternity—260 beds). Male or female.

EVESHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL (50 beds).

KYRE PARK HOSPITAL, Nr. TENBURY WELLS (Primary Tuberculosis in Children—66 beds). Three required.

RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—251 beds. Maternity—50 beds). For day and night duty.

ST. WULSTAN'S HOSPITAL, MALVERN (Tuberculosis—250 beds).

SHRUB HILL HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (116 beds. Maternity—18 beds). Male or female.

MIDWIFERY SISTER

BROMSGROVE GENERAL HOSPITAL (General and Part II Midwifery Training School—423 beds). Maternity Ward Sister.

STAFF MIDWIVES

BROMSGROVE GENERAL HOSPITAL (General and Part II Midwifery Training School—423 beds). Unit of 50 beds.

RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—251 beds. Maternity—50 beds). Part I Midwifery Training School. For ward and departmental work in busy midwifery unit.

SHRUB HILL HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (116 beds. Maternity—18 beds).

PUPIL MIDWIVES

BROMSGROVE GENERAL HOSPITAL (General and Part II Midwifery Training School—423 beds). Unit of 50 beds. Vacancies from December onwards.

RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—251 beds. Maternity Unit of 50 beds). Part I Midwifery Training School. Vacancies November, 1956, and February, 1957. New, well-equipped department including a premature baby unit.

WOLVERHAMPTON AND DISTRICT

NIGHT SISTERS

LADY FORESTER HOSPITAL, BROSELEY, SALOP (General and Maternity—30 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., to take charge General and Maternity Wards. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

LADY FORESTER HOSPITAL, BROSELEY, SALOP (General and Maternity—30 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. to take charge of Male and Female General Wards and to do relief maternity duty. Good accommodation.

NEW CROSS HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (General and Maternity—627 beds). Ward Sisters.

STAFF NURSES

NEW CROSS HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (General and Maternity—627 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

NEW CROSS HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (General and Maternity—627 beds). For Maternity Unit of 54 beds. Resident or non-resident.

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BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

HEREFORDSHIRE

NIGHT SISTERS

ALTON STREET HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE (M.D. and Chronic Sick—167 beds). In sole charge.

SISTERS

BROMYARD COTTAGE HOSPITAL (Chronic—62 beds). Sister or Staff Nurse.
TUPSLEY HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (T.B.—31 beds). Two required.

STAFF NURSES

ALTON STREET HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE. Female for Chronic Sick Block.
BROMYARD COTTAGE HOSPITAL (Chronic—62 beds). Staff Nurse or Sister.
COUNTY HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (General—335 beds). Staff Nurses, including some children trained.
GENERAL HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (General—154 beds). Staff Nurses also Theatre Staff Nurse.
KINGTON COTTAGE HOSPITAL (General—10 beds).
ROSS COTTAGE HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE (General—15 beds).

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

ALTON STREET HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE (Chronic Sick and M.D.—176 beds). One for night duty in Chronic Sick Block.
COUNTY HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (General—335 beds). For general or midwifery.
ROSS COTTAGE HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE (General—15 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

COUNTY HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (General—335 beds).

SHROPSHIRE

ASSISTANT MATRON

MORDA HOUSE, OSWESTRY (Chronic Sick—106 beds). Recognised Training School for Pupil Assistant Nurses. Resident or non-resident.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

EYE, EAR AND THROAT HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY (67 beds). Resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

CROSS HOUSES HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY (174 beds, including 34 Maternity). Relief Night Sister for Maternity Department.

THEATRE SISTERS

CROSS HOUSES HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY (174 beds, including 34 Maternity).

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

CLUN COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Nr. CRAVEN ARMS (Maternity—8 beds). Resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

CROSS HOUSES HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY (174 beds, including 34 Maternity).

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

ASSISTANT MATRON

WESTON HOSPITAL, WESTON-UNDER-WETHERLEY, Nr. LEAMINGTON SPA, WARWICKS. (Mental Deficiency). Good residential accommodation available.

WARD SISTERS

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (Female Psychiatric Unit—86 beds). S.R.N., S.R.M.N.
LEA COLONY, BROMSGROVE, WORCS. (Mental Deficiency—242 beds).
WESTON HOSPITAL, WESTON-UNDER-WETHERLEY, Nr. LEAMINGTON SPA (Mental Deficiency).

STAFF NURSES

ALTON STREET HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE. For Mental Defective Wards. Female.
CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (Female Psychiatric Unit—86 beds). S.R.N., S.R.M.N. Also Male Staff Nurse. S.R.N., S.R.M.N., for Male Psychiatric Unit.
ST. MATTHEW'S HOSPITAL, BURNTWOOD, LICHFIELD (Psychiatric—1,340 beds). R.M.N. or R.M.P.A. for opening of new ward. Resident or non-resident. Good prospects of promotion. Active staff social club.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES

ST. MATTHEW'S HOSPITAL, BURNTWOOD, LICHFIELD (Psychiatric—1,340 beds). Training for S.R.N. Nurses—18 months' approved course. Excellent training facilities.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

The undermentioned hospitals offer facilities for Student Nurse Training and applications are invited from women (and where indicated from men), aged 18 to 30, to take the course of three years' General Training for State Registration. The Block System of Training, where referred to, means that much of the theoretical work is undertaken when the Nurse is not working on the wards. For further particulars, details of salaries and application forms, apply to the Matron of the hospital concerned unless otherwise stated.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (845 beds). Omnibus General Training School. **Male and female.** Study day block system in operation. Pleasantly situated; modern nurses' home; separate bedrooms.

BROMSGROVE GENERAL HOSPITAL, WORCS. (General and Part Midwifery Training School—423 beds). Male and female.

CHESHIRE JOINT SANATORIUM, Nr. MARKET DRAYTON, SALOP (305 beds). Two years' training for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Post-registration students also accepted.

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 beds. Maternity—125 beds. Premature Baby Unit). Complete General Training School. Training in three years plus three months trial period. Block system training in operation. Vacancies 3rd and 31st December, and 4th February.

GROUNDSLOW HOSPITAL, TITTENSOR, STOKE-ON-TRENT (T.B.—100 beds).

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). For Preliminary Training School. Course commencing January, 1957, and approximately every three months.

KIDDERMINSTER GENERAL HOSPITAL (112 beds). **Female.** Omnibus General Training School.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General and Fever Training School—700 beds).

NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (455 beds). Complete General Training School. **Female.** Block system of training in operation. Modern nurses' home in pleasant surroundings. Separate bedrooms. Recreational facilities.

ST. CHAD'S HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 16 (General—152 beds). **Female.** Immediate vacancies.

SELLY OAK HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 29 (General—1,027 beds). Training School for Student Nurses and Assistant Nurses. Vacancies 31st December, 1956.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 beds). Male and female.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—210 beds). **Male and female** for two years' training for B.T.A. Certificate.

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY (General—213 beds). **School of Nursing (including Ronkswood Hospital).** With good education. Nurses' home pleasantly situated with modern single rooms. Block system of training established. New school commences on 12th November. Candidates on the Supplementary Register of the General Nursing Council are accepted for a two year training period.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (All forms of Tuberculosis including Surgical Unit—413 beds). **Male and female.** Resident or non-resident. Four year course of training in general and tuberculosis nursing. First two years at Yardley Green Hospital followed by two years at Dudley Road Hospital or Selly Oak Hospital, Birmingham. Students are also accepted for two years training for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Are required at the following hospitals, for two years' training for Roll of Assistant Nurses. Further particulars from the Matron of the hospital concerned.

AVONSIDE HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (Long-stay and Maternity—280 beds). Assistant Nurse Training School. Male and female. Training given by teaching staff at Avonside Hospital and Evesham General Hospital for acute and surgical treatment.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (845 beds). Male and female.

MID-WORCESTERSHIRE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE. **Male and female.** Study day system of training. Apply to the Matron of one of the component Training Schools: Bromsgrove Cottage Hospital; Blackwell Rest Hospital, Nr. Bromsgrove; Smallwood Hospital, Redditch; Blakebrook Hospital, Kidderminster.

SELLY OAK HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 29 (General—1,027 beds). Training School for Student Nurses and Assistant Nurses. Frequent vacancies.

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric—1,066 beds). **Male and female** over 18 years. Resident accommodation. Training schools commence 3rd December and 21st January.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—210 beds). **Male and female.** Part of the course to be taken at Yardley Green Hospital and Selly Oak Hospital West.

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Acute—472 beds). Two years' training on Acute Wards. Female, resident or non-resident. Male non-resident.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (All forms of Tuberculosis including Surgical Unit—413 beds). Part of the course to be taken at Selly Oak Hospital West.

LIVERPOOL REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications should be sent, with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and accompanied by copies of two recent testimonials (or the names of two referees), to the MATRON OF THE HOSPITAL CONCERNED, from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with National scales.

ST. HELENS, WARRINGTON AND DISTRICT

SISTER TUTOR

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds). Complete General Training School. Applicants should hold recognised qualifications.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

Newton Cottage Hospital, Bradlegh Road, Newton Le Willows (27 beds). To deputise during absence of Matron. Resident.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

Warrington Infirmary (172 beds). Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTER

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds).

THEATRE SISTER

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds).

WARD SISTERS

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds). For Female Geriatric and General Wards.

DEPUTY WARD SISTER

Whitecross Hospital (236 beds). Required for M.D. Unit. Non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (Maternity Unit—74 beds).

MALE STAFF NURSE

Whiston Mental Hospital (216 beds). S.E.N. S.R.M.N.

STAFF NURSES

Warrington Infirmary (172 beds). Required for surgical and medical wards. Resident or non-resident.

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds).

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds).

STUDENT NURSES

Warrington Hospitals Training School for Nurses. Combined Training School. **Warrington General Hospital** (344 beds). **Warrington Infirmary** (172 beds). Girls with a good standard of education are accepted for three years' general training from the age of 18 years. Students whose names are on the Supplementary part of the State Register are accepted for two years training. Modern Nurses' Home, single bedrooms. The Training Schools commence on 1st January, 1957, 1st April, 1957, 1st July, 1957. Forms of application and other information are obtainable from the Matron and Superintendent of the Training School, Warrington General Hospital.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Warrington General Hospital (344 beds, 40 Maternity beds). Part II Midwifery Training — six months course (combining) three months experience in hospital, three months on district. Resident in Nurses Home six months. Course commences 1st December, 1st March, 1st June, 1957.

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (Maternity Unit—74 beds). Part I Training commencing 1st November, 1956, and 1st February, 1957.

SOUTHPORT, ORMSKIRK AND DISTRICT

NIGHT SISTERS

Ormskirk County Hospital (Establishment of three).

WARD SISTER

Ormskirk Children's Hospital. S.R.N. R.C.N. an advantage. (Resident).

JUNIOR SISTER OR STAFF NURSE

Ormskirk County Hospital.

RELIEF SISTER

Ormskirk General Hospital (Permanent post).

MIDWIFERY SISTER

St. Katherine's Maternity Hospital, Lathom Road, Southport.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS AND STAFF MIDWIVES

Ormskirk County Hospital.

STAFF NURSES

Ormskirk Mental Hospital. R.M.P.A. or R.M.N. (Male).

Greaves Hall (M.D.) Banks, Nr. Southport. New staff houses in course of construction. Vacancies for men only.

Southport Promenade Hospital. Male Medical Wards.

Fleetwood Road Hospital, Southport (Geriatric).

STAFF NURSES—Contd.

New Hall Hospital, Scarisbrick, Nr. Southport (T.B. and I.D.).

Southport General Infirmary, Scarisbrick New Road. For day or night duty in Theatre, also for post-operative unit at Scarisbrick, Nr. Southport.

STAFF MIDWIFE

St. Katherine's Maternity Hospital, Lathom Road, Southport.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Ormskirk County Hospital (Part II Training). For December or March.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Ormskirk County Hospital.

Ormskirk General Hospital. Female. Resident or non-resident.

Promenade Hospital, Southport.

STUDENT NURSES

Southport General Infirmary, Scarisbrick New Road (General Training three years).

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Ormskirk County Hospital (Male and Female).

Fleetwood Road Hospital, Southport (S.E.A.N. Training—2 years). Vacancies for men and women.

BIRKENHEAD AND WALLASEY

THEATRE SISTER

Children's Hospital, Woodchurch Rd., Birkenhead. (64 beds). The post offers good experience.

WARD SISTER

St. Catherine's Hospital Annexe, 56 Church Road, Birkenhead. For duties on the Geriatric Wards. The post offers an interesting and rewarding career in modern treatment of the elderly and the Department is being developed under the direction of a full-time consultant physician.

STAFF NURSES

St. Catherine's Hospital Annexe, 56 Church Road, Birkenhead. For duties on the Geriatric Wards. The posts offer an interesting and rewarding career in modern treatment of the elderly and the Department is being developed under the direction of a full-time consultant physician.

STAFF NURSES—Contd.

St. Catherine's Hospital, Church Road, Birkenhead. For Paediatric Ward S.R.C.N. or S.R.N. with paediatric experience.

JUNIOR WARD SISTER

St. Catherine's Hospital, Church Road, Birkenhead. For Paediatric Ward S.R.C.N. or S.R.N. with paediatric experience.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

St. Catherine's Hospital, Annexe 56 Church Road, Birkenhead. For duties on the Geriatric Wards. The posts offer an interesting and rewarding career in modern treatment of the elderly and the Department is being developed under the direction of a full-time consultant physician.

Children's Hospital, Woodchurch Road, Birkenhead (64 beds—Branch Training School).

LIVERPOOL AND DISTRICT

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

Sefton General Hospital, Liverpool, 15. (995 beds).

WARD SISTERS

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. Resident or non-resident.

Sefton General Hospital, Liverpool, 15. For the Genito-urinary Ward.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. Resident or non-resident.

MALE MENTAL STAFF NURSES

Westminster House, Liverpool, 4. Non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. Resident or non-resident. Especially for Theatres and T.B. Wards.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9.

STUDENT NURSES

Sefton General Hospital, Liverpool, 15. (Post-registration). Male and female for General or Mental Training.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. Resident or non-resident. Part I only.

Sefton General Hospital, Liverpool, 15. For Part I and Part II Training.

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LEICESTER No. 3 HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

GLENFRITH HOSPITAL

GATE, DESFORD, Nr. LEICESTER

above mentioned premises will shortly med as a hospital for 70 adolescent Mental Defective patients, and appli- are invited for the following **Joint ntment** from suitably qualified married

Male Nurse, preferably with double ations. Salary £680 p.a., rising to p.a., with deductions for board and at the rate of £218 p.a.

ookeeper/Caterer. Salary £519 p.a., to £583 p.a., with deductions for and lodging at a rate of £167 p.a. ed quarters are available within the

ications with details of age, present revious appointments, experience and ations, together with the names of eferees, to be forwarded to the Medical ntendent, Glenfrith Hospital, Leicester Groby Road, Leicester, as soon as

H. PAGE,
Secretary.
(2388)

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Taunton Hospital Management Committee

TAUNTON AND SOMERSET HOSPITAL, TAUNTON

MATRON

A vacancy will arise in the Spring of 1957 for the post of **Matron** at the Taunton and Somerset Hospital caused by the retirement of the present holder of the post.

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates with wide experience in the nursing profession.

This general hospital has a bed complement of 420, covering a wide variety of specialities. The salary scale is at present in the range of £850 to £1,045 less £221 for emoluments. The hospital is recognised by the General Nursing Council as a complete General Training School for male and female Student Nurses and also houses the Preliminary Training School which serves three training hospitals.

Applications giving full details of age, education, qualifications and experience, with the names of three referees, should be made by 24th November, 1956, to the Group Secretary, Taunton Hospital Management Committee, c/o Musgrove Park Hospital, Taunton, from whom further information may be obtained.

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TROWBRIDGE AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, TROWBRIDGE

(60 beds)

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Assistant Matron** at the above general and maternity hospital. Candidates should be S.R.N. and S.C.M. The person appointed will be required to act as Matron's Deputy.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, giving the names and addresses of three referees, should be submitted to the Matron. (2348)

CITY OF EDINBURGH

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

CHILD WELFARE NURSERIES

MATRON

Required for Niddrie Day Nursery. Non-resident post. 45 children, infancy to five years. R.G.N., S.R.N., R.S.C.N. or S.R.F.N. with training or experience in care of healthy children of nursery age.

Salary scale £450 p.a. to £575 p.a. Whitley conditions apply.

Further details and form of application from Child Welfare Medical Officer, Johnston Terrace, Edinburgh.

Closing date for receipt of forms, 5th November. (2354)

CITY AND COUNTY OF BRISTOL

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Applications invited for appointment of **Matron** at Day Nursery.

Salary:—S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. £450 x £20 (6) x £5 (1)—£575 p.a. S.R.F.N. or C.N.N. £435 x £20 (7)—£575 p.a.

In either case, less £41 p.a. for meals on duty, laundry and uniform.

Application forms from and returnable by 12th November, 1956, to R. C. Confinden, Medical Officer of Health, Central Health Clinic, G.P.O. Box No. 201, Tower Hill, Bristol, 2. (2389)

SHEFFIELD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL unless otherwise stated, from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with the appropriate National Scales.

DERBYSHIRE

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

SCARSDALE HOSPITAL, NEWBOLD ROAD, CHESTERFIELD (567 beds). For general administrative duties, including supervision of Nurses' Home. Resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (260 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.—one of three—capable of relieving Night Superintendent and Theatre Sister. Also one for Maternity Theatre to relieve Labour Ward and Wards. One of three. Resident or non-resident.

PREMATURE BABY UNIT, NIGHTINGALE MATERNITY HOME, LONDON ROAD, DERBY (18 beds). S.C.M. or R.S.C.N. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (260 beds). Theatre Sister with good experience—one of two for busy general theatre. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (260 beds). Male or female. Also Staff Nurses, female, for busy Maternity Wards. Day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

DERBYSHIRE HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, FRIAR GATE, DERBY (60 beds). For Operating Theatre. Previous theatre experience not essential. Female. Resident or non-resident.

NEWHOLME HOSPITAL, 3 BASLOW ROAD, BAKEWELL (74 beds) and **BAKEWELL COTTAGE HOSPITAL** (13 beds). Female, preferably full-time. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Acting Matron, Newholme Hospital.

PREMATURE BABY UNIT, NIGHTINGALE MATERNITY HOME, LONDON ROAD, DERBY (18 beds). S.R.N. or S.C.M. or R.S.C.N. For day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (260 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident. For busy Maternity Wards. Day and night duty.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

DARLEY HALL MATERNITY HOME, DARLEY DALE, Nr. MATLOCK (20 beds). Day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHTINGALE MATERNITY HOME, LONDON ROAD, DERBY (31 beds). With good experience—Part II Training School. Resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ASHGATE MATERNITY HOME, ASHGATE, CHESTERFIELD (22 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (260 beds). For Part I Midwifery Training School—theatre experience an advantage. Willing to do some night duty. Also for busy Maternity Wards. Day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

DARLEY HALL MATERNITY HOME, DARLEY DALE, Nr. MATLOCK (20 beds). Day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

HOLBROOK MATERNITY HOME, HOLBROOK, Nr. DERBY (24 beds). Resident or non-resident.

NIGHTINGALE MATERNITY HOME, LONDON ROAD, DERBY (Part II Midwifery Training School. 31 beds). Resident or non-resident.

QUEEN MARY MATERNITY HOME, DUFFIELD ROAD, DERBY (Part II Midwifery Training School. 36 beds). Resident or non-resident.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

NEWHOLME HOSPITAL, 3 BASLOW ROAD, BAKEWELL (74 beds) and **BAKEWELL COTTAGE HOSPITAL** (13 beds). Resident or non-resident. Applications to Acting Matron, Newholme Hospital.

LEICESTERSHIRE AND RUTLAND

HOME SISTER

HINCKLEY AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HINCKLEY (43 beds). Resident.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

LEICESTER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GWENDOLEN ROAD, LEICESTER (454 beds). **Temporary Administrative Relief Sister** required for a period of at least six months. Previous administrative experience desirable. Resident.

SISTERS

RUTLAND MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, OAKHAM (32 beds). **Ward Sister.** Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

LOUGHBOROUGH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BAXTER GATE, LOUGHBOROUGH (100 beds). S.R.N.s: two for Theatre, excellent experience; one for Female Unit and one for Male Unit. Female. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

LOUGHBOROUGH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BAXTER GATE, LOUGHBOROUGH (100 beds). Two required. Full-time. Female. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

LEICESTER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GWENDOLEN ROAD, LEICESTER (4[illegible] beds). For busy First Period Midwifery Training School of 57 beds, plus 12 cots in Premature Baby Unit. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH YORKSHIRE

ASSISTANT MATRON

WESTERN HOSPITAL, SPRINGWELL LANE, BALBY, DONCASTER (Partly Acute—500 beds, including Part III). Approved Training School for Assistant Nurses and Second Part Midwifery. **Second Assistant Matron,** S.R.N. and S.C.M. Salary is that applicable to a hospital in the 300—399 beds category, i.e., £615—£715 per annum.

SISTER TUTOR

DONCASTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, THORNE ROAD, DONCASTER (Acute—330 beds). For Preliminary Training School. Preferably qualified with teaching experience. Resident or non-resident.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

BADSLEY MOOR LANE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (70 beds). S.R.N. Housekeeping Certificate preferred. Resident.

MONTAGU HOSPITAL, MEXBOROUGH (168 beds). Senior Theatre Sister, S.R.N. Senior of two for busy Theatre Unit—all types of surgery. Resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). In sole charge. One of three Sisters. To take charge of part of the hospital only. Resident or non-resident. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

CROOKHILL HALL SANATORIUM, CONISBROUGH, Nr. DONCASTER (Tuberculosis and Chest—52 beds). In sole charge, S.R.N. preferably with tuberculosis nursing experience. Resident or non-resident.

FULLERTON HOSPITAL, DENABY MAIN, Nr. DONCASTER (Acute—41 beds). In sole charge. Resident or non-resident.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (402 beds). In sole charge. To take charge of part of the hospital only. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). Junior Sister for duties on Out-patients' and Casualty Departments. Also Ward Sister for Female Medical Ward of 22 beds. Resident or non-resident. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (161 beds). Children's Ward Sister, S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Resident or non-resident.

FIR VALE INFIRMARY, SHEFFIELD, 5 (1,083 beds). Relief Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident. Hospital is pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

FULLERTON HOSPITAL, DENABY MAIN, Nr. DONCASTER (Acute—41 beds). Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (402 beds). Relief Ward Sister (preferably S.R.N., T.A. Certificate) for duties on sanatorium. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. for duties on Children's Ward or Out-patients' Department. Female. Resident or non-resident. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (161 beds). S.R.N.—Gen. casualty experience an advantage. Female. Resident or non-resident.

MOORGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (355 beds. 38 cots). S.R.N. for night duty. Female. Resident or non-resident.

ROSEHILL HOSPITAL ANNEXE, RAWMARSH, Nr. ROTHERHAM (26 beds). S.R.N. Female. Resident or non-resident.

SHIRLE HILL TONSILLECTOMY CENTRE, SHEFFIELD, 11 (19 beds). S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. New Children's Unit opened 1954. Female. Resident or non-resident.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). Second year Student Nurses. R.F.N., R.S.C.N., or R.M.N. Female. Resident or non-resident. Several vacancies arising shortly. Brochure available on request. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BADSLEY MOOR LANE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (70 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (161 beds). Duty in Wards and Departments. Female. Resident or non-resident.

FIR VALE INFIRMARY, SHEFFIELD, 5 (1,083 beds). Three shift system. Female. Resident or non-resident. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

MOORGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (355 beds. 38 cots). For Medical Ward. Day and night duty. Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (402 beds). With duties shared at new Children's Tonsillectomy Unit. Female. Resident or non-resident.

OAKWOOD HALL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (T.B.—102 beds). Male or Female. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

HALLAMSHIRE MATERNITY HOME, CHAPELTOWN, Nr. SHEFFIELD (22 beds). S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

HAMILTON LODGE MATERNITY HOME, CARR HOUSE ROAD, DONCASTER (14 beds). Non-resident.

MONTAGU HOSPITAL, MEXBOROUGH (168 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (402 beds). Modern department of 76 beds with Premature Baby Unit. Resident or non-resident.

SHEFFIELD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

SISTER TUTORS

WORKSOP VICTORIA AND KILTON HOSPITALS (312 beds). To assist Principal Sister Tutor in Training School for General Register. Qualified preferred, but consideration will be given to applicants who are desirous of gaining practical experience prior to taking Sister Tutor's Certificate. Resident or non-resident. Apply to Victoria Hospital, Worksop.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

KING'S MILL HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD ROAD, SUTTON-IN-ASHFIELD (172 beds). S.R.N. for Cadet School. Good experience to be gained for person interested in Tutorial Section. Vacancy occurs due to promotion. Resident or non-resident.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

NOTTINGHAM HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, PEEL STREET, NOTTINGHAM (Gynaecological and Obstetrics—156 beds). Departmental Theatre Sister, S.R.N. Theatre experience necessary. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

HARLOW WOOD ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, Nr. MANSFIELD (Orthopaedic—338 beds). One of three employed. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

KING'S MILL HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD ROAD, SUTTON-IN-ASHFIELD (172 beds). For busy Theatre Unit. To relieve Superintendent. Good experience to be gained. Resident or non-resident.

MANSFIELD AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL, WEST HILL DRIVE, MANSFIELD (205 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

GENERAL HOSPITAL, NOTTINGHAM (664 beds). Ward Sister required for Surgical Ward. Resident or non-resident.

KING'S MILL HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD ROAD, SUTTON-IN-ASHFIELD (172 beds). Gynaecological Ward Sister, S.R.N., S.C.M., for ward of 26 beds. Resident or non-resident.

LANGWITH LODGE, NETHER LANGWITH, Nr. MANSFIELD (Convalescent Home for Male Diabetic patients—31 beds). Ward Sister or Charge Nurse. Resident or non-resident. The hospital is pleasantly situated on the border of Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire.

RANSOM HOSPITAL, RAINWORTH, Nr. MANSFIELD (203 beds). Ward Sister. S.R.N. and B.T.A. Certificates. For newly opened "upgraded" Women's Ward. Resident.

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WORKSOP (General—122 beds). **Ward Sister** for small Surgical Ward, including five private single rooms. Resident or non-resident.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTER

HARLOW WOOD ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, Nr. MANSFIELD (Orthopaedic—338 beds). With a view to permanency. Resident or non-resident.

MALE CHARGE NURSE

LANGWITH LODGE, NETHER LANGWITH, Nr. MANSFIELD (Convalescent Home for Male Diabetic patients—31 beds). Charge Nurse or Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident. Hospital pleasantly situated on the border of Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire.

STAFF NURSES

GENERAL HOSPITAL, NOTTINGHAM (664 beds). **Assistant Catering Officer.** Need not be S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

HARLOW WOOD ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, Nr. MANSFIELD (338 beds). Female. Facilities available for taking the Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

KING'S MILL HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD ROAD, SUTTON-IN-ASHFIELD (172 beds). For Theatre or General Wards, also S.R.N. or B.T.A. Certificate for Female Tuberculosis Ward of 20 beds. Resident or non-resident.

NOTTINGHAM CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, CHESTNUT GROVE, NOTTINGHAM (Children's Acute—136 beds). For Theatre. R.S.C.N. and/or S.R.N. Female. Resident or non-resident.

RANSOM HOSPITAL, RAINWORTH, Nr. MANSFIELD (Tuberculosis—203 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. Certificate. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Certificate if desired. Female. Resident or non-resident.

RETFORD HOSPITAL, RETFORD (Cottage Hospital—48 beds). For alternate day and night duty. Female. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

HEATHFIELD HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM. For Infectious Disease Wards, Post-operative Ward and Tuberculosis Ward. Female. Resident or non-resident.

RANSOM HOSPITAL, RAINWORTH, Nr. MANSFIELD (Tuberculosis—203 beds). Female with experience of surgical and medical nursing of tuberculosis desirable, but not essential. Resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, STOCKWELL GATE, MANSFIELD (310 beds). Maternity Sister. Resident or non-resident.

LINCOLNSHIRE

SISTER TUTOR

SPRINGFIELD HOSPITAL, GRIMSBY, LINCS. (Chest and Infectious Diseases—210 beds) (Thoracic Unit attached). Assistant Nurse Training School to be inaugurated January, 1957. Unqualified. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

COUNTY INFIRMARY, LOUTH (Mainly Acute—215 beds). S.R.N. and S.C.M. or S.R.N. only. One of three. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

GRANTHAM AND KESTEVEN GENERAL HOSPITAL, 101 MANTHORPE ROAD, GRANTHAM (118 beds). Second Theatre Sister. S.R.N. Vacancy due to promotion. Resident.

SISTERS

GRANTHAM AND KESTEVEN GENERAL HOSPITAL, MANTHORPE ROAD, GRANTHAM (118 beds). Ward Sister. S.R.N., S.C.M. Experienced Sister for Women's Surgical Ward (30 beds). Vacancy due to promotion. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

GRANTHAM AND KESTEVEN GENERAL HOSPITAL, MANTHORPE ROAD, GRANTHAM, LINCS. (118 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. For busy department, 12 beds. Resident or non-resident.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

ASSISTANT MATRON

THE TOWERS HOSPITAL, HUMBERSTONE, LEICESTER (Mental—1,170. 695 female beds). Fully qualified Mental Nurse. General qualification desirable. Resident or non-resident.

WARD SISTERS

CARLTON HAYES MENTAL HOSPITAL, NARBOROUGH, Nr. LEICESTER (1,070 beds). Excellent social and recreational facilities; easily accessible to Leicester. Resident or non-resident.

THE LAWN HOSPITAL, UNION ROAD, LINCOLN (100 beds). R.M.N. Resident or non-resident.

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, STOCKWELL GATE, MANSFIELD (310 beds). R.M.N. Full-time. To be in charge of ward for female mentally defective patients. Resident or non-resident.

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

CARLTON HAYES MENTAL HOSPITAL, NARBOROUGH, Nr. LEICESTER (1,070 beds). Good opportunities of early promotion to Ward Sister. Excellent social and recreational facilities; easily accessible to Leicester. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

CARLTON HAYES MENTAL HOSPITAL, NARBOROUGH, Nr. LEICESTER (1,070 beds). Good opportunities of early promotion to Deputy Ward Sister or Ward Sister. Excellent social and recreational facilities; easily accessible to Leicester. Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (260 beds, including 66 Maternity). Part I Training Courses commence February, May, August and November each year. Part II training can be arranged, if desired.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). Part I. S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. Qualified Midwifery Tutor. Instruction given in Inhalation Analgesia and the care of premature babies. Study day system in operation. Next vacancies occur 18th January, 1957. Facilities for Part II training available. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots. Resident.

LEICESTER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GWENDOLEN ROAD, LEICESTER (454 beds). Maternity Unit (57 beds) and Premature Baby Unit (12 cots). First Period Midwifery Training School. Vacancies for S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. on 1st May, 1st August, 1st November and 1st February. Non-S.R.N. pupils on 1st November and 1st May. Separate modern home for pupils. Training includes a weekly study day, instruction in the care of the premature baby and attendance at relaxation classes. Wide experience can be obtained in both normal and abnormal midwifery. Resident.

MOORGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (355 beds. 38 cots). Part II training school vacancies for course beginning December, 1956. Resident.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (402 beds). Part II. Experience given in all departments of a modern unit of 76 beds including a Premature Baby Unit. Pupils may be resident or non-resident during the three months in hospital. Facilities for study and recreation. Option to return to hospital for further revision until examination. Schools commence 1st December, 1st March, 1st June.

NIGHTINGALE AND QUEEN MARY MATERNITY HOMES, DERBY. Part II Training Courses commence 1st March, June, September, December.

THE LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY MATERNITY HOSPITAL, CAUSEWAY LANE, LEICESTER (50 beds). Pupils are accepted for Part I Midwifery Training (six months' course). Courses commence 1st and 14th of May, August, November and February. Obstetric and paediatric lectures given by specialists and Sister Tutors. Study day scheme of midwifery education in operation. Good experience available in the care of premature babies and Human Milk Bank. Accommodation is separate from the hospital and is within five minutes' walk of the city centre.

WESTCOTES MATERNITY HOSPITAL, WESTCOTES LANE, LEICESTER (25 beds). Part II Midwifery Training School. Schools commence 1st March, June, September and December. The hospital is situated in its own grounds within easy reach of the city. Excellent examination results. Tutorials given by resident midwifery teacher. The Waller method of breast feeding in practice. Good district experience. Outdoor uniform provided whilst on district. Resident.

STUDENT NURSES

There are vacancies for Student Nurses at the undermentioned hospitals; training allowances and conditions of service are in accordance with the Whitley Council scale. Full details and application forms from the Matron of the hospital concerned.

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (260 beds). Male or female, aged 18 years or over, for three years general training (two years if on Supplementary Register). Resident or non-resident.

GRANTHAM AND KESTEVEN GENERAL HOSPITAL, GRANTHAM, LINCS. (118 beds). Applications are invited from well-educated young women, between 18 and 30 years. Three years' training, including 12 weeks Preliminary Training School. Modified block system of training. Vacancies 1st January and 24th April, 1957.

LINCOLN COUNTY HOSPITAL, SEWELL ROAD, LINCOLN (General—200 beds). **Female.** Preliminary Training Schools commencing 19th November, 1956, and 4th February, 1957, for applicants of 18 years of age and over to train for State Registration. Study day system of training. Apply to Matron for brochure and application form. Resident.

MONTAGU HOSPITAL, MEXBOROUGH (168 beds). Vacancies for next Preliminary Training School on 1st January, 1957. The curriculum of training covers a period of three years excluding the period in the Preliminary Training School followed by a further 12 months' service as Staff Nurse. A good standard of education is required. Modified block system of training is in force. Candidates on a Supplementary Register are accepted for a reduced period of training. Matron will be pleased to interview parents of prospective candidates. Female. Resident.

MOORGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (355 beds, 38 cots). Vacancies for January School. Interested applicants may visit the hospital by appointment with Matron. Female, resident. Male, non-resident.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Required for the two year course for the Roll of Assistant Nurses.

HILL VIEW HOSPITAL, DYSART ROAD, GRANTHAM, LINCS. Assistant Nurse Training School (94 beds). Applications are invited from young women between 18 and 40 years. Training includes five weeks in Preliminary Training School. Modern nurses' home with excellent amenities. Vacancies 1st January, 1957.

SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees or copies of two recent testimonials, to THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, from whom also further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions are in accordance with the appropriate National Scales.

DEVON

Devon is famous for the natural beauty of its scenery and its coastline. Both the northern and southern coasts are studded with seaside towns which provide all modern amenities and opportunities for entertainment. In the central part of the County are many smaller towns, in charming surroundings, as well as the more rugged country of Dartmoor and Exmoor. There are many hospitals, covering every specialty, which offer a wide range of nursing experience.

ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL, BARNSTAPLE (137 beds)

S.E.A.N. for Female Chronic Sick Ward.

BICCLESCOMBE HOSPITAL, ILFRACOMBE (24 beds)

STAFF MIDWIFE. Normal maternity unit of 10 beds.

BIDEFORD & DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Bideford (51 beds)

Assistant Nurse Training School.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER/SISTER TUTOR.

BOVEY TRACEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Bovey Tracey (18 beds)

Small general hospital with four maternity beds. Situated within easy reach of South Devon coast resorts and the moors.

SISTER. S.R.N., S.C.M. (or S.C.M. Part I).

STAFF NURSE.

CASTLE HOSPITAL, OKEHAMPTON (51 beds)

Chronic sick hospital.

S.E.A.N.s. Female.

DAWLISH HOSPITAL, Dawlish (18 beds)

S.E.A.N. Full-time. Preferably with theatre or casualty experience Resident or non-resident.

HIGHFIELD MATERNITY HOME, BARNSTAPLE

STAFF MIDWIFE. Thirteen-bedded unit for normal maternity work.

ILFRACOMBE & DISTRICT TYRRELL HOSPITAL, Ilfracombe (32 beds)

WARD SISTER.

LYNTON DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Lynton (General—7 beds, Maternity—3 beds)

STAFF NURSES. Two required. C.M.B. an advantage. Friends welcomed. Resident or non-resident.

NEWTON ABBOT HOSPITAL, Newton Abbot (261 beds)

The hospital is situated near centre of market town, within easy reach of Torquay and other South Devon coastal resorts and also the moors.

The General Section of the hospital has a busy Theatre, X-ray, Casualty, Out-patient and Physiotherapy Departments, and deals with general surgical, gynaecological, E.N.T. and ophthalmic work, and with acute medical cases. There is a separate modern Maternity Unit of 15 beds.

The Geriatric Section, which is under the care of a consultant geriatrician, has recently been completely modernised. This section has its own large and well-equipped Physiotherapy Department, and excellent results are being obtained in the rehabilitation of patients.

A Medical Annexe of 26 beds, situated in pleasant country surroundings a mile from the town, forms part of the hospital.

STAFF NURSES. S.R.N. Required for Theatre, Out-patient Department and Wards (including children's). Excellent experience for newly-qualified Nurses.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES required for Wards in General and Geriatric Sections, and for Medical Annexe.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES. Two year course of training. The hospital is a complete Training School for Assistant Nurses; new Teaching Department recently opened. Resident Sister Tutor. Good all-round experience for pupils in wards and departments.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY, BARNSTAPLE (105 beds)

Students spend three months at a P.T.S. near Exeter and then return to Barnstaple to complete their three years' general training. Good residential quarters are provided. The district comprises an extensive holiday area with sandy beaches. Block system of training. Lectures by medical staff and qualified tutors.

STUDENT NURSES.

STAFF NURSES. One for Theatre. Good experience available and one preferably S.R.N., R.S.C.N., for Children's Ward.

STAFF MIDWIFE. Fourteen-bedded abnormal unit.

S.E.A.N. Male. Thirty-bedded ward.

OKEHAMPTON & DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Okehampton (17 beds)

Small general hospital with four maternity beds.

SISTER. S.R.N., S.C.M. (or S.C.M. Part I).

STAFF MIDWIFE.

PAIGNTON & DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Paignton (50 beds)

The hospital is a busy general hospital with maternity unit, and is a complete Training School for Assistant Nurses. Situated in pleasant surroundings within easy reach of the sea, and near main 'bus routes to Torquay, Exeter and Plymouth. Nursing staff have own hut on beach during summer, and television is provided in nurses' home.

STAFF NURSE. S.R.N. for theatre duty. Excellent experience.

STAFF MIDWIFE. S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. For night duty, or alternate day and night duty.

POST HILL HOSPITAL, TIVERTON (30 beds)

Hospital for post-operative and medical cases.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER. S.R.N. required to deputise for Matron and act as Relief Ward Sister as necessary. Resident.

SOUTH MOLTON & DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL, South Molton (General—6 beds, Maternity—3 beds)

STAFF NURSE. C.M.B. an advantage.

TIVERTON & DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Tiverton (50 beds)

General practice hospital.

THEATRE SISTER. S.R.N.

RELIEF SISTER. S.R.N., S.C.M. Required to undertake relief duties in Acute Wards and Maternity Department as necessary. Posts resident or non-resident.

TORBAY HOSPITAL, TORQUAY (166 beds)

The hospital is a general training school for nurses. It is pleasantly situated on the outskirts of Torquay and is an acute general hospital.

NIGHT SISTER. S.R.N., S.C.M.

STAFF MIDWIFE. S.R.N., S.C.M., for 11-bedded Maternity Ward. Good experience.

TORRINGTON COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Great Torrington (General—8 beds, Maternity 4 beds)

Separate nurses' home.

STAFF NURSES. Two required.

TOTNES HOSPITAL, Bridgetown, Totnes (24 beds)

The hospital is a small, busy hospital with its own operating theatre and physiotherapy department. Modern nurses' home. The hospital is situated within the ancient Borough of Totnes, on the River Dart.

WARD SISTER. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

The following Nursing Staff Vacancies also exist in the SOUTH WESTERN REGION

ASSISTANT MATRONS

SALTERLEY GRANGE CHEST HOSPITAL
Leckhampton Hill, CHELTENHAM, Glos. (76 beds). S.R.N., B.T.A. Certificate. Resident. Apply Secretary, General Hospital, Sandford Road, Cheltenham.

TEWKESBURY HOSPITAL
(General—22 beds). **Holm Hospital,** TEWKESBURY (Chronic—44 beds). **Tredington Hospital,** Nr. TEWKESBURY (Chronic—40 beds). S.R.N. Person appointed will be required to cover Matron's duties at these hospitals during absences and will be centred at Holm Hospital. Apply Secretary, General Hospital, Sandford Road, Cheltenham.

SISTER TUTOR

COSSHAM/FRENCHAY SCHOOL OF NURSING
Frenchay Hospital, BRISTOL. To work under a Principal Tutor. Total tutorial staff of three.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

CAMBORNE-REDRUTH HOSPITAL
Redruth. Departmental Midwifery Sister.

SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS—Contd.

HAM GREEN HOSPITAL
BRISTOL (430 beds). Ward Sister for Cubicle Isolation Ward with small theatre. S.R.N. R.S.C.N. or Midwifery Part I an advantage.

NIGHT SISTERS

BATH AND WESSEX ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL
Bath (147 beds). One of two. Orthopaedic experience essential. Resident or non-resident.

BURNHAM-ON-SEA WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Burnham-on-Sea (25 beds). S.R.N., with theatre experience. Resident or non-resident.

FRENCHAY HOSPITAL
BRISTOL (542 beds—expanding). Five nights per week.

WEST CORNWALL HOSPITAL
PENZANCE (Acute—100 beds). One of two.

YEOVIL GENERAL HOSPITAL
Higher Kingston, Yeovil (84 beds). General Nurse Training School. **Second Night Sister.** Resident or non-resident. Application forms from Group Secretary, 71 Higher Kingston, Yeovil.

THEATRE SISTERS

EXETER CITY HOSPITAL
Exeter (209 beds). Work is mainly general surgery.

GENERAL HOSPITAL
WESTON-SUPER-MARE (107 beds). One of three, required from 1st January, 1957. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

ST. AUSTELL HOSPITAL
St. Austell (27 beds). Hospital is situated within easy reach of north and south coasts.

SISTERS

BERKELEY HOSPITAL
Berkeley, Glos. (General and Maternity—32 beds). Ward Sister. Post, together with that of Midwifery Sister, suitable for friends.

DROVE ROAD HOSPITAL
WESTON-SUPER-MARE (Geriatric—39 beds). S.R.N. Resident.

EYE INFIRMARY
Lansdown Road, BATH (30 beds). Ward Sister with ophthalmic experience. Applications to Matron, Royal United Hospital, Bath.

FALMOUTH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
Falmouth, Cornwall. For Female Ward of 29 beds, surgical and medical. Acute and very busy department. Resident or non-resident.

GENERAL HOSPITAL
WESTON-SUPER-MARE (107 beds). For Male Medical Ward. S.R.N. To be interested in the training of Student Nurses.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL
Sister for Casualty Department. Previous experience as a Ward Sister essential. Apply Matron, Great Western Road, Gloucester.

HAM GREEN HOSPITAL AND SANATORIUM
BRISTOL (430 beds). Ward Sister for sanatorium. S.R.N. with previous experience as Ward Sister. B.T.A. Certificate an advantage.

LAUNCESTON HOSPITAL
Launceston, Cornwall (20 beds). Ward Sister. S.R.N. Alternate day and night duty. Resident.

MENEAGE HOSPITAL
HELSTON. Two Ward Sisters; one for night duty. Resident or non-resident.

PASSMORE EDWARDS HOSPITAL
LISKEARD, Cornwall (20 beds). S.R.N. Theatre experience. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL
Combe Park, BATH (475 beds). Ward Sister for busy Male Medical Ward. Excellent experience in all branches of medicine.

SEDGEMOOR PRIORY
ST. AUSTELL. Two Ward Sisters.

SOUTHMEAD HOSPITAL
BRISTOL (571 beds). Obstetric School for Bristol University approved for complete training in General Nursing and for Part I Certificate of C.M.B. Ward Sister for Children's Ward. Also Relief Sisters.

WINSLEY CHEST HOSPITAL
LIMPLEY STOKE, Nr. BATH (135 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., preferably with B.T.A. Certificate. For male patients' block of 37 beds.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

BARNCOOSE GERIATRIC HOSPITAL
REDRUTH (146 beds).

BATH AND WESSEX ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL
BATH (147 beds). **Theatre Staff Nurse**—post offers excellent opportunity for experience in orthopaedic and traumatic surgery. Also **Plaster Room** Staff Nurse—orthopaedic experience essential.

CAMBORNE-REDRUTH HOSPITAL
Redruth. Two required for Female Surgical Ward.

CHELTENHAM GENERAL, EYE AND CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
Incorporating WINCHCOMBE HOSPITAL, Cheltenham (248 beds). S.R.N.s for Wards, Theatre and Casualty Department. Resident or non-resident.

COTSWOLD HOSPITAL
TETBURY, Glos. S.R.N. for night duty. Applications to Matron, Stroud General Hospital, Glos.

COUNTY ISOLATION HOSPITAL
TRURO. S.R.N. or R.F.N.

DROVE ROAD HOSPITAL
WESTON-SUPER-MARE (Geriatric Unit—39 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

EXETER CITY HOSPITAL
Exeter (209 beds). For Acute Surgical Ward. Resident or non-resident. Also one, previous children's experience preferred, but Nurses interested in sick children will be considered.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

FRENCHAY HOSPITAL
BRISTOL (542 beds—expanding). Night Staff Nurses; five nights per week. Also Staff Nurse for Male Plastic Surgical Ward and one for Neuro Theatre.

GENERAL HOSPITAL
WESTON-SUPER-MARE (107 beds). Theatre Staff Nurses, S.R.N., for day duty. Resident or non-resident.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL
For night duty on Children's Ward. Applications to Matron, Great Western Road, Gloucester.

HAM GREEN HOSPITAL AND SANATORIUM
BRISTOL (430 beds). Post-graduate course for Staff Nurses; one year's course for B.T.A. Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

HELSTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
Helston (12 beds). Well-equipped hospital near coast. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Matron, Falmouth and District Hospital, Falmouth.

NEWQUAY AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
Newquay (22 beds). Theatre experience preferable. Acute hospital. Seaside town.

PLYMOUTH MATERNITY DEPARTMENT (FREEDOM FIELDS SECTION)
(Premature Baby Unit.) Two required, S.R.N., S.C.M., or Children Trained. Applications to Matron, c/o Alexandra Maternity Home, Devonport.

ROYAL CORNWALL INFIRMARY
TRURO (212 beds). For Orthopaedic and General Wards. Also one for night duty in General Theatre.

ST. MARTIN'S HOSPITAL
Midford Road, BATH (640 beds). Two required for Female Medical Ward, one for Out-patient and Casualty Departments, and Theatre Staff Nurse for busy General Theatre—day or night duty.

SHUTE SHELVE HOSPITAL
AXBRIDGE (Post-operative Unit—17 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH DEVON AND EAST CORNWALL HOSPITAL
Freedom Fields, PLYMOUTH. S.R.N. with theatre experience for busy theatres. Applications to Greenbank Road, Plymouth.

SOUTHMEAD HOSPITAL
BRISTOL (571 beds). Obstetric School for Bristol University approved for complete training in General Nursing and for Part I Certificate of C.M.B. Staff Nurses for Paediatric Department and Premature Baby Unit or Premature Baby Course.

TEHIDY CHEST HOSPITAL
CAMBORNE (150 beds). Excellent experience in the nursing of major thoracic surgery, including cardiac and oesophageal surgery. Modern nurses' home. Training School for B.T.A. Certificate.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

HAM GREEN HOSPITAL AND SANATORIUM
BRISTOL (430 beds). For one year's Post-graduate course for B.T.A. Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BARNCOOSE GERIATRIC HOSPITAL
REDRUTH (146 beds).

BURNHAM-ON-SEA WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Burnham-on-Sea (25 beds). Resident or non-resident.

DROVE ROAD HOSPITAL
WESTON-SUPER-MARE (Geriatric Unit—39 beds). Resident or non-resident.

EYE INFIRMARY
Lansdown Road, BATH (30 beds). Female for general ward duties. Apply to Matron, Royal United Hospital, Bath.

MOWBRAY HOUSE MATERNITY HOSPITAL
Heavitree, EXETER (24 beds). Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL
Combe Park, BATH (475 beds). Female for Maternity Ward, also one for the private Maternity Unit at the Forbes Fraser Hospital.

SEDGEMOOR PRIORY
ST. AUSTELL (45 beds). Two required for Geriatric (Long-stay) Annexe. Resident.

SOUTHMEAD HOSPITAL
BRISTOL (571 beds). Obstetric School for Bristol University approved for complete training in General Nursing and for Part I Certificate of C.M.B. For Maternity Department.

TEHIDY CHEST HOSPITAL
CAMBORNE (150 beds). Excellent experience in the nursing of major thoracic surgery, including cardiac and oesophageal surgery. Modern nurses' home. Training for B.T.A. Certificate.

TETBURY AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
Tetbury, Glos. Applications to Sister-in-Charge.

POST GRADUATE COURSES

BATH AND WESSEX ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL
Combe Park, BATH (147 beds). S.R.N. Facilities for one year's orthopaedic training for certificate of the British Orthopaedic Association and Central Council for the Care of Cripples. Resident or non-resident.

WINSLEY CHEST HOSPITAL
LIMPLEY STOKE, Nr. BATH (135 beds). S.R.N., female, for one year's training for the B.T.A. Certificate.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

ALEXANDRA MATERNITY HOME
DEVONPORT (39 beds). Plymouth Maternity Department. First Period Training School. S.R.N., S.C.M.

BERKELEY HOSPITAL
Berkeley, Glos. (General and Maternity—32 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Post, together with that of Ward Sister, suitable for friends.

SOUTHMEAD HOSPITAL
BRISTOL (571 beds). Obstetric School for Bristol University approved for complete training in General Nursing and for Part I Certificate of C.M.B. S.R.N., S.C.M., for night duty.

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SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

STAFF MIDWIVES

ASHCOMBE HOUSE MATERNITY HOSPITAL
WESTON-SUPER-MARE (19 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

CHIPPING SODBURY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Chipping Sodbury, Nr. Bristol (Maternity—12 beds). Full-time (part-time applications considered) for day and night duty.

FLETE MATERNITY HOME
ERMINGTON, Devon (46 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Apply to Matron, Plymouth Maternity Department, c/o Alexandra Maternity Home, Devonport.

MOWBRAY HOUSE MATERNITY HOSPITAL
Heavitree, EXETER (24 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTHMEAD HOSPITAL
BRISTOL (Obstetric School for Bristol University and approved for complete training in General Nursing and for Part I Certificate of C.M.B.). Immediate vacancies for S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Facilities provided for taking the Midwifery Teacher's Diploma.

YEOVIL MATERNITY HOSPITAL
Crossways, Yeovil (Consultant Unit—14 beds). Application forms from Group Secretary, 71 Higher Kingston, Yeovil.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

MARY STANLEY TRAINING HOME
6-12 Castle Street, BRIDGWATER, Somerset (Maternity—23 beds. Premature Infant—8 cots. Part II Midwifery Training School. Training School for Gas and Air Analgesia). Unexpected vacancies exist in the December class, also vacancies for the March and June classes.

PLYMOUTH MATERNITY DEPARTMENT (First Period Training School)
Vacancies in schools commencing 1st November, 1956, and 1st February, 1957. Applications to Matron, c/o Alexandra Maternity Home, Stoke, Devonport.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

ASSISTANT MATRON

TONE VALE HOSPITAL
NORTON FITZWARREN, Nr. TAUNTON, Somerset (1,100 beds). R.M.N. or R.M.P.A. and preferably S.R.N.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

MENDIP HOSPITAL
WELLS, Somerset (Mental—580 beds). R.M.N. Accommodation available.

WARD SISTERS

MENDIP HOSPITAL
WELLS, Somerset (Mental—580 beds). R.M.N. Accommodation available.

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

HORTHAM HOSPITAL
Almondsbury, Nr. BRISTOL (714 beds). Certificate in mental deficiency nursing. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

HORTHAM HOSPITAL
Almondsbury, Nr. BRISTOL (714 beds). Certificate in mental deficiency nursing. Resident or non-resident.

MENDIP HOSPITAL
WELLS, Somerset (Mental—580 beds). R.M.N. Accommodation available.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Required at the following hospitals for two years' training for Rel Assistant Nurses.

EXETER CITY HOSPITAL
Exeter (209 beds). The hospital is a complete training school.

ISOLATION HOSPITAL
Claverton Down, BATH (88 beds). A component Assistant Nurse Training Sch with St. Martin's Hospital, Bath. Vacancies exist for male and female popu Resident.

ST. MARTIN'S HOSPITAL
Midford Road, BATH (640 beds). Male or female. Candidates must be at least 18 years of age. Resident or non-resident. Large general hospital offe training of an essentially practical nature.

STROUD AND TETBURY ASSISTANT NURSE TRAINING SCHOOLS
Preliminary Training Schools. Training will be under the guidance of a resid Sister Tutor. Applicants should be 18 years of age or over. Full particulars fr Matron, Stroud General Hospital, Glos.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

There are vacancies at the undermentioned hospitals. Training allowa and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council scale. Applicatio to Matron of hospital concerned.

CHELTENHAM GENERAL, EYE AND CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL CHELTENHAM
(Incorporating Winchcombe Hospital)
(246 beds)

Vacancies for students between the ages of 18 and 34 years with good educatio Training, including twelve weeks in the Preliminary Training School, covers the years, followed by six months as a Staff Nurse. Nurses on the Supplementa Register of the General Nursing Council are accepted for two years' trainin Study day system of training established.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, WESTON-SUPER-MARE
(107 beds)

Student Nurses for January and April, 1957.
Applications to the Matron.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL
Twelve weeks spent in the training school. Modified block system of trai established. Applications to Matron, Great Western Road, Gloucester.

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL
Combe Park, BATH (475 beds). Vacancies for students between the ag of 18-34 years, with good education. Modern hospital and nurses' home ideal surroundings. Training covers three years followed by six months a Staff Nurse. Study periods allowed throughout the course. The Prelimina Training School commences in January, March, June and September each ye Candidates on the Supplementary Register of the General Nursing Council a accepted for two years' training.

SOUTH DEVON AND EAST CORNWALL HOSPITAL
Greenbank Road, PLYMOUTH. Vacancies exist in the Group Preliminary Train School for Student Nurses. Candidates must be at least 18 years of age, a have attained a good standard of education. Preliminary Training Sch commence on 31st December, 1956, and 25th March, 1957. Block system training; lectures by medical staff and qualified tutors.

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses and Pupil Midwives, at Training Hospitals in all parts of the Region. A list of Hospitals (including Mental and Mental Deficiency Hospitals) which are recognised Training Schools will be sent on application to the Regional Nursing Officer, South Western Regional Hospital Board, "Parklands," 27, Tyndalls Park Road, Bristol, 8 (59)

LANCASHIRE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the position of **Matron** at Massey Hall Residential Special School for Educationally Sub-normal Senior Girls, Thelwall, Cheshire.

Salary £362 x £15—£437, plus £177 residential emoluments.

Forms of application and further particulars from the County Education Officer, P.O. Box 61, County Hall, Preston, to be returned by 3rd November, 1956. (2235)

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR INVERNESS HOSPITALS
MUIRFIELD HOSPITAL, INVERNESS
(Chronic Sick—57 beds, Part III Accommodation—24 beds)

The post of **Matron** will shortly become vacant.

Salary scale £670 x £20 (3) x £25 (1)—£755.

Forms of application and further particulars from the Secretary and Treasurer, Board of Management for Inverness Hospitals, 14 Ardross Street, Inverness. (2352)

THE UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS
LIVERPOOL STANLEY HOSPITAL

Applications are invited for appointment as **Assistant Matron** of the Liverpool Stanley Hospital which is a general teaching hospital of 135 beds and is approved by the General Nursing Council as a complete training school for the general section of the Register. Terms and conditions are as agreed by the Whitley Council, the salary being £590 x £20—£690 p.a.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, and giving the names of three persons to whom reference may be made, should reach the Secretary, The United Liverpool Hospitals, 80 Rodney Street, Liverpool, not later than 10th November, 1956. (2386)

City of Manchester Children's Department
THE NURSERY
LONGLEY LANE, NORTHENDEN, MANCHESTER, 22

Applications invited for post of **Deputy Matron** at the above residential nursery (non-training). Salary: £415 p.a. (S.R.F.N., S.E.A.N., C.N.N.) or £430 p.a. (S.R.N., R.S.C.N.) to £555 p.a. Residence charge £163 p.a., or if non-resident, £33 charge for meals.

Further details and application forms from the Children's Officer, P.O. Box No. 488, Town Hall, Manchester, 2 (S.A.E.) and returnable by 2nd November, 1956. (2362)

Leicester No. 2 Hospital Management Committee
HILLCREST HOSPITAL, LEICESTER

Applications are invited for the post of **Second Assistant Matron.** The hospital is a Joint-User Institution with 364 hospital beds accommodating chronic sick patients and is an Approved Assistant Nurse Training School. The successful applicant will be required to assist the Matron in the supervision of the hospital. Salary £595 x £20 to £605 per annum, less £191 for residential emoluments.

Applications to be made on forms obtainable from the undersigned.

Leicester No. 2 Hospital Management Committee,
10 University Road,
Leicester.

F. G. BAILEY,
Group Secretary. (2363)

DE LA POLE HOSPITAL, WILLERBY, E. YORKSHIRE
(Mental—1,174 beds: 658 female)

Deputy Matron. Resident or non-resident. Salary £700 x £20 (5) to £800 p.a.; if resident, less £191 p.a. for full board and residence. Candidates must possess S.R.N., R.M.N., S.C.M. Certificates and have had extensive experience of administration in senior nursing rank. This is a large progressive hospital and has a Group Nurse Training School.

Application forms may be obtained from the Group Secretary at the above address. (2365)

Applications are invited for the **Matron** at **Ashburton and Buckfastleigh Hospital,** Ashburton, S. Devon. The is a General Practitioner Hospital of for acute medical and surgical pati is situated in pleasant rural surro The hospital includes a fully equip ating theatre. Consultants in medic as required, and consultants in surg regular sessions at this hospital.

Salary £650—£730 p.a., in accorda Whitley Council conditions of servic vassing either directly or indirectly qualify.

Applications, stating age, nationali fications, present position and fulle of past experience, and with the na addresses of three referees, to the Secretary, Torquay District Hospital ment Committee, Torbay Hospital, S. Devon, not later than 19th N 1956.

LIVERPOOL REGION CHILDRE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMM OLIVE MOUNT CHILDREN'S HO WAVERTREE, LIVERPOOL.
(252 beds)

Applications are invited for the **Assistant Matron,** who will act as Deputy. The hospital contains 200 p beds and 52 beds for mentally children. The bed complement is revision.

The hospital is a training Assistant Nurses. Candidates S.R.N., and R.S.C.N., will be a

Salary scale £585 to £685, less board, resident.

Apply in writing, giving qualifications and previous experi the names of two referees, to the at Alder Hey Children's Hospital, 12, immediately.

H. R. MA
Secretary to the

SOUTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

TRAINED NURSES

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), to the Matron of the appropriate hospital, from whom further details may be obtained.

SISTER TUTOR IN SOLE CHARGE

West Kent General Hospital, Maidstone (141 beds). Res. or non-res. Female. Qualified.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

Preston Hall Hospital, British Legion Village, Maidstone (450 beds). Thoracic Surgical experience essential.

NIGHT SISTER IN SOLE CHARGE

Lenham Sanatorium, Nr. Maidstone (168 beds). With Sanatorium experience.

NIGHT SISTERS

Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup.

Homoeopathic Hospital, Tunbridge Wells (30 beds). Required end of October.

Pembury Hospital, Pembury (387 beds). One of three working under Night Superintendent. Theatre experience desirable.

Linton Hospital, Nr. Maidstone (339 beds).

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

Shappey General Hospital, Minster (120 beds). For administrative duties. Qualified tutor not essential, although teaching experience is necessary. For new Assistant Nurse Training School.

Sevenoaks Hospital, Sevenoaks (Busy General — 81 beds). For General Administrative duties, including relief in Matron's Office and responsibility for Catering (Departmental Sister salary scale).

Bromley Hospital, Cromwell Avenue, Bromley (187 beds). S.R.N. for Matron's office. Day duty only. Good experience for further promotion.

Orpington Hospital, Orpington (General —813 beds). Departmental Sister salary scale. Res. or non-res.

THEATRE SUPERINTENDENT

All Saints Hospital, Chatham (371 beds). Busy general theatre: good experience.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

Diabetic Convalescent Home for Women, Birchington-on-Sea (50 beds). Res. or non-res.

Dover Infectious Diseases Hospital, Dover (44 beds).

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER (THEATRE)

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (400 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

CHARGE NURSE

Orpington Hospital, Orpington (General —813 beds). For Male Geriatric Ward. Res. or non-res.

WARD SISTERS

Erith and District Hospital, Park Crescent, Erith (General—50 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards.

Southern Hospital, Dartford (260 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

Denton Isolation Hospital, Nr. Gravesend (40 beds). Res. or non-res.

West Hill Hospital, Dartford (345 staffed beds). For Female Surgical Ward. Res. or non-res.

St. Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill Nr. Folkestone (Chronic Sick). Two posts.

Buckland Hospital, Dover (General—199 beds). Complete Training School. For Gynaecology Ward.

KENT

WARD SISTERS—Contd.

Diabetic Convalescent Home for Women, Birchington-on-Sea (50 beds). Res. or non-res.

Kent and Canterbury Hospital, Canterbury (Acute General—277 beds). For Children's Ward. R.S.C.N. essential.

Homoeopathic Hospital, Tunbridge Wells (30 beds). Theatre and O.P. Department.

WARD SISTERS (THEATRE)

General Hospital, Margate (132 beds). For December. Res. or non-res.

WARD SISTERS (RELIEF)

Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup. For relief duties.

Pembury Hospital, Pembury (387 staffed available beds).

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup. S.R.N. required for duty in Theatre.

Southern Hospital, Dartford (260 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ramsgate (164 beds at present in use for Chronic Sick and accommodation for 76 infirm residents). Non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Haine Hospital, Ramsgate (76 beds. for Infectious Diseases and Dermatological Unit of 16 beds). Res. or non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ramsgate (164 beds at present in use for Chronic Sick and accommodation for 76 infirm residents). Res. or non-res.

Hothfield Hospital, Hothfield, Nr. Ashford (Chronic Sick—148 beds). To assist in P.T.S.

West Kent General Hospital, Maidstone (141 beds). Res. or non-res. For Gynaecological Ward.

Sevenoaks Hospital, Sevenoaks (Busy General—81 beds). For Surgical Ward. Res. or non-res.

Kent and Sussex Hospital, Tunbridge Wells (301 staffed beds). For Theatre and one for General Wards.

Homoeopathic Hospital, Tunbridge Wells (30 beds).

Pembury Hospital, Pembury (General—387 staffed available beds). General Ward, General Theatre and Deep Therapy Department.

Linton Hospital, Nr. Maidstone (339 beds). For Acute and Chronic Wards.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES FOR TRAINED NURSES

Southern Hospital, Dartford (260 staffed beds). 12 months' course in E.N.T. Wards and Theatre, Orthopaedic Wards and Theatre and Urological Wards. Certificates awarded.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S HOSPITAL, ROCHESTER

ASSISTANT MATRON

Applications are invited for the post of **ASSISTANT MATRON**, vacant 1st January, 1957. Administrative experience essential. Salary scale (General Training School—200 beds). £590—£690, less £176 residential emoluments.

Apply giving details of age, training and subsequent appointments, with two names for reference, to the Matron at the hospital, not later than 9th November, 1956.

Ashford Hospital, Ashford (135 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses. For Women's Surgical Ward, for Women's Medical Ward for night duty and for Men's Surgical Ward.

Southern Hospital, Dartford (General —260 beds). Res. or non-res.

Kent County Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, Maidstone (113 beds). S.R.N. Res. For Aural Theatre, Wards and O.P. Department.

Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, Margate (200 beds at present in use for Surgical Tuberculosis and Orthopaedic Unit of 41 beds). Possession of Orthopaedic Certificate an advantage. Res. or non-res. Vacancies for Post-graduate Course for Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (400 staffed beds). For treatment of patients with respiratory paralysis due to poliomyelitis etc., treatment by intermittent positive pressure apparatus and tank and cuirass respirators. Also for General Wards and T.B. Unit.

Royal Victoria Hospital, Folkestone (General—155 beds). For Theatre, and S.R.N.s for General duties. Also S.R.N., S.C.M., to assist in P.T.S.

General Hospital, Margate (132 beds). Res. or non-res., and one for Operating Theatre. Also one for Children's Ward. R.S.C.N. an advantage.

Diabetic Convalescent Home for Women, Birchington-on-Sea (50 beds). Res. or non-res.

Willesborough Hospital, Willesborough (General—138 beds). For Female Surgical Wards.

St. Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill Nr. Folkestone (Chronic Sick).

Kent County Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, Maidstone (113 beds). S.R.N.s required for (a) Twelve months' course for Ophthalmic Nursing Diploma. (b) Twelve months' course for E.N.T. Certificate. (c) Four months' course in Aural Theatre. Salary as for Staff Nurses.

Lenham Sanatorium, Nr. Maidstone (168 beds). Female S.R.N.s who wish to take 12 months' course for B.T.A. Cert. Salary as for Staff Nurses plus £30 a year tuberculosis allowance.

West Hill Hospital Dartford (345 staffed beds). 12 months' course for S.R.N.s to work on Gynaecological Wards, Casualty and O.P. Department and in Theatre. Certificate awarded. Res. or non-res.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (400 beds). Courses (four months) in (a) Anaesthesia for General, Vascular, Ophthalmic, Endoscopic and Paediatric Surgery, and (b) Artificial Respiration in Anaesthesia and various forms of respiratory Paralysis, Respiratory Function Tests, etc. Also 12 months' courses in Fever Unit, Children's Wards and Theatre. Res. or non-res. General Training School.

All Saints' Hospital, Chatham (371 beds). S.R.N. Six months' course. Good general theatre experience.

DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT MIDWIFE

Pembury Hospital, Pembury (387 staffed and available beds). Maternity Unit consisting of 66 beds, and the hospital is a Part II Midwifery Training School. Should possess Midwifery Tutor's Certificate.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Russell Stoneham Maternity Hospital Perry Street, Crayford (30 beds). S.R.N. S.C.M.

Pembury Hospital, Pembury (387 beds). Two required for Midwifery Department of 66 beds. Part II Midwifery Training School.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Russell Stoneham Maternity Hospital, Perry Street, Crayford. S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only.

Hainault Maternity Hospital, Erith (24 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only.

Buckland Hospital, Dover (General — 199 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses.

Tunbridge Wells Maternity Home, Tunbridge Wells.

Pembury Hospital, Pembury. Maternity Unit of 66 beds. Part II Midwifery Training School.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

St. Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill, Nr. Folkestone (Chronic Sick).

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ramsgate (164 beds at present in use for Chronic Sick and accommodation for 76 infirm residents). Non-res.

West Hill Hospital, Dartford (345 staffed beds). Non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Southern Hospital, Dartford (260 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (400 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Mary's Hospital Etchinghill (344 beds). Chronic Sick.

Kent County Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, Maidstone (113 beds). Res. or non-res. For E.N.T. Wards. Knowledge of special work preferred.

Lenham Sanatorium, Nr. Maidstone (168 beds). Res. or non-res. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Cert.

Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, Margate (200 beds at present in use for Surgical Tuberculosis and Orthopaedic Unit of 41 beds). Res. or non-res.

Victoria Home for Invalid Children, Margate (60 beds). Non-res.

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ramsgate (164 beds at present in use for Chronic Sick and accommodation for 76 infirm residents). Non-resident.

Sevenoaks Hospital, Sevenoaks (Busy General—81 beds). Res. or non-res.

Diabetic Convalescent Home for Women, Birchington-on-Sea (50 beds). Res. or non-res.

Pembury Hospital, Pembury (General—387 staffed available beds). For General Theatre, Deep Therapy Dept.

Ashford Hospital, Ashford (135 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

St. Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill, Nr. Folkestone (Chronic Sick).

Orpington Hospital, Orpington (General—813 beds). Day or night duty. Res. or non-res.

ASSISTANT MATRONS

Laybourne Grange Colony for Mental Defectives, West Malling, Kent (1 145 beds). Should be qualified in M.D. Nursing. General training desirable but not essential. Forms of application from Group Secretary.

WARD SISTERS

Darenth Park Hospital for Mental Defectives, Nr. Dartford, Kent (1,800 beds).

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (41 Male Mental Observation beds). Res. or non-res.

Stone House Hospital, Nr. Dartford (For Mental and Nervous Disorders), Applications to Physician Superintendent.

West Hill Hospital, Dartford, Kent (345 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

(IN SOUTH-EAST LONDON, KENT AND EAST SUSSEX)

ST. FRANCIS AND HURSTWOOD PARK HOSPITALS HAYWARDS HEATH, SUSSEX

(Psychiatric, Neurological and Neurosurgical Units).

WARD SISTERS, DEPUTY WARD SISTERS and **STAFF NURSES** (resident or non-resident) required. R.M.N. or R.M.P.A. Convenient for London and South Coast. New hospital opening next year. Excellent prospects of promotion.

Apply to Matron.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (41 Male Mental Observation beds). Res. or non-res.

West Hill Hospital, Dartford, Kent (345 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

Darenth Park Hospital (For Mental Defectives), Nr. Dartford, Kent (1 800 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Eastry Hospital, Eastry (255 beds). Mental and M.D.

NURSING ASSISTANTS

Eastry Hospital, Eastry (255 beds). Mental and M.D. Non-res. Female Staff only.

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (Male Mental Observation — 41 beds). Res. or non-res. Male and Female Staff.

West Hill Hospital, Dartford, Kent (345 staffed beds). Non-res.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

Eastry Hospital, Eastry (255 beds). Mental and M.D.

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SOUTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued

SISTER TUTORS

Group Assistant Nurse Training School, Wensley House, Eltham, S.E.9. The school incorporates four hospitals in the Woolwich Group. Applications to Group Secretary, Memorial Hospital, Woolwich, S.E.18.

Dulwich Hospital (In association with King's College Hospital Medical School for teaching purposes), East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22 (490 beds). Block system of training in operation.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (373 general beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. and recognised diploma. To assist Principal Sister Tutor.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (Infectious and General — 191 staffed beds). S.R.N., R.F.N. Res. or non-res.

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—611 beds).

St. John's Hospital Morden Hill, S.E.13 Res. or non-res.

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12. S.R.N. with T.A. Certificate.

NIGHT SISTERS

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (Infectious Diseases and General—191 beds). S.R.N., R.F.N. Res. or non-res.

Lewisham Hospital, High St., S.E.13 (General—611 beds).

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill, S.E.13 (472 beds). One of four.

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich High Road, S.E.10 (General—180 beds). S.R.N.

New Cross General Hospital, Avonley Road, S.E.14 (325 beds). Temporary. Full or part-time. Required immediately.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER (THEATRE)

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13. E.N.T. Surgery.

WARD SISTERS

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Rd., S.E.16 (319 beds). Willing to take Medical or Surgical Wards as required.

Goldie Leigh Hospital, Lodge Lane, Abbey Wood, S.E.2 (Children's Skin Hospital—212 beds).

St. Nicholas Hospital Tewson Road, Plumstead, S.E.18 (348 beds). For holiday relief duties.

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, Woolwich, S.E.18. Senior Sister for Thoracic Surgery Unit (50 beds). One for Male Neurosurgical Ward (28 beds) and one for Modern Cubicle Infectious Diseases Unit (28 beds).

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (453 beds). For Geriatric and Long-stay Ward.

SOUTH-EAST LONDON

WARD SISTERS—Contd.

St. John's Hospital, Morden Hill, S.E.13 (General—112 beds). For Children's Ward. S.R.N., R.S.C.N.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General—373 beds). S.R.N. for Geriatric Unit and two for O.P. duties.

Dulwich Hospital (In association with King's College Hospital Medical School for teaching purposes) East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22 (490 beds). For relief duties in the first instance. Junior post.

WARD SISTER (THEATRE)

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General—373 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Two posts.

WARD SISTER (RELIEF)

St. John's Hospital, Morden Hill, S.E.13 (General—112 beds). One for day duty and one for night duty.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Dulwich Hospital (In association with King's College Hospital Medical School for teaching purposes), East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22. For Medical and Surgical Wards.

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22. For Geriatric and Long-stay Wards. Res. or non-res.

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5 (408 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards

Lewisham Hospital High St., S.E.13 (General—611 beds). Non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

New Cross General Hospital, Avonley Road, S.E.14 (325 beds). For Medical and Geriatric Wards. Full or part-time Res. or non-res. And one for O.P. Dept.

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12 (401 beds). One for six months theatre experience in Thoracic Surgery. Others full or part-time for night or day duty in Thoracic Surgery Unit or T.B. Medical Wards.

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22. For Geriatric and Long-stay Wards Res. or non-res.

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5 (408 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards. And for General Theatre.

Goldie Leigh Hospital, Abbey Wood, S.E.2 (Children's Skin Hospital-212 beds).

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13. S.R.N. or R.F.N. Full or part-time, for night or day duty.

Brook General Hospitals, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18. For Medical Wards and Infectious Diseases Wards. S.R.N. R.F.N.

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich High Road, S.E.10 (180 beds). S.R.N.s for day or night duty (Wards and Departments) including Second Staff Nurses for Theatre and Casualty Dept., and to assist Night Sister. Full or part-time.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Memorial Hospital, Shooter's Hill, S.E.18 (General—137 beds). S.R.C.N. For Children's Ward; and for Male and Female Surgical Wards.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (373 beds). For duties in General Wards; T.B. Wards, T.A. necessary; and Maternity Wards and O.P. Dept. and Nursery, recognised Cert.

St. Nicholas Hospital, Plumstead, S.E.18 (General—348 beds). For Gynaecological Ward, for six months' experience and for General Wards.

St. John's Hospital, Morden Hill, S.E.13 (General—112 beds). One for Children's Ward. Two for Theatre.

Dulwich Hospital (In association with King's College Hospital Medical School for teaching purposes), East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22. For Medical and Surgical Wards.

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Road, S.E.16 (319 beds). For Theatre and S.R.N.s for six monthly periods for Theatre Training, also for Medical and Surgical Wards.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES FOR TRAINED NURSES

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General — 373 beds). Six months' Theatre experience, or in Casualty and O.P. Department. Current vacancies. Certificate awarded.

Memorial Hospital, Shooter's Hill, S.E.18 (137 beds). For six months' Theatre experience or six months in Casualty and O.P.D.

St. Nicholas Hospital, Plumstead, S.E.18 (General — 348 beds). Trained Nurses—6 months Theatre experience, or 6 months in Casualty and O.P.D.

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13. One years' training for Fever Register as Post-registration Students (Male and Female) or one year course in E.N.T. Unit as Staff Nurses. Certificate awarded. Res. or non-res.

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18. For six months' course in Thoracic and Cardiac Surgery at Regional Unit, or six months course in Regional Neuro-surgical and Neurological Depts.

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12 (401 beds). Six months' course for S.R.N.s in Thoracic Surgery Unit or one year's training for T.A. Certificate. Staff Nurse salary scale plus allowance of £15 on completion of each period of six months service.

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General—180 beds). Six months Post-graduate Theatre Course.

Lewisham Hospital, High St., S.E.13 (General—611 beds). One year's course in Theatres. Certificate awarded.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (Part I Training School. Midwifery—(53 beds). Two posts. S.R.N., S.C.M.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS—Contd.

Dulwich Hospital (In association with King's College Hospital Medical School for teaching purposes), East Dulwich Grove S.E.22 (490 beds). (56 beds in Maternity Unit).

St. Giles Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5 (59 Maternity beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5 (Maternity—59 beds).

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (Part I Training School. Midwifery—53 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 S.R.N.s for Part I Midwifery Training. Next course commences November, 19[illegible] and 1st January, 1957 (Midwifery—53 beds).

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5 (Maternity Unit—59 beds). Next course 1st November and 1st February.

Dulwich Hospital (In association with King's College Hospital Medical School) East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22. For Part I Training. Next course 1st February.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (373 beds). For duties in General and T.B. Wards, and E.A.N.s for Geriatric Unit of 269 beds. Non-res.

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22. For Geriatric and Long-stay Wards Res. or non-res.

New Cross General Hospital, Avonley Road, S.E.14. Non-res.

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—611 beds). For Theatre.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Goldie Leigh Hospital, Abbey Wood, S.E.2 (Children's Skin Hospital — [illegible] beds).

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22. For Geriatric and Long-stay Wards. Res. or non-res.

New Cross General Hospital, Avonley Road, S.E.14 (325 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (373 beds). For duties in General, T.B. and Maternity Wards, and for Geriatric Unit (269 beds).

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (180 beds). For day or night duty in wards. Full or part-time.

St. John's Hospital, Morden Hill, S.E.13 (General—112 beds). Full or part-time.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

New Cross General Hospital, Avonley Road, S.E.14 (325 beds).

St. Francis Hospital Constance Road, S.E.22. For Geriatric and Long-stay Wards. Res. or non-res. Male and Female.

NIGHT SISTERS

Royal Alexandra Hospital, Brighton, 1 (129 beds). Second Sister—R.S.C.N., S.R.N essential.

Sussex Throat and Ear Hospital, Brighton, 1 (32 beds). S.R.N. E.N.T. experience. Temporary post. Res. or non-res

WARD SISTERS

Bevendean Hospital, Brighton, 7 (165 beds). S.R.N. T.A. Cert. Res. or non-res.

Sussex Throat and Ear Hospital, Brighton, 1 (32 beds). S.R.N. E.N.T. Experience essential. Senior post. Res. or non-res.

WARD SISTERS (THEATRE)

Royal Sussex County Hospital, Brighton, 7 (314 beds). Should have experience in both General and Orthopaedic Theatre work. Res. or non-res.

Buchanan Hospital, St. Leonards-on-Sea (94 beds). Temporary appointment for hospital specialising in Gynaecology, Urology and E.N.T.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Downside Hospital, East Dean Road, Eastbourne (87 beds). For Geriatric Nursing. Non-resident but accommodation outside hospital can be arranged for single man.

Queen Victoria Hospital, East Grinstead (246 staffed available beds). For General Wards.

EAST SUSSEX

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Bevendean Hospital, Brighton, 7 (165 beds). S.R.N. for 12 months' training for B.T.A. Certificate. Res. or non-res.

Alexandra House, St. Leonards-on-Sea (26 beds). Pleasant home for female Chronic Sick. Non-resident preferred. Apply with age, experience and names of three referees.

Newhaven Infectious Diseases Hospital, Newhaven (20 beds). S.R.N. General Ward work. Day and night duty.

Chailey Heritage (Craft School and Hospital), North Common, Chailey, Nr. Lewes. S.R.N. or S.R.C.N. For girls' residential school (40 beds). Ages 7-14. To work with Sister in Charge. Suit middle aged trained nurse interested in crippled children. No bedside nursing. Also General Staff Nurses.

Queen Victoria Hospital, East Grinstead (246 staffed and available beds). One for Ophthalmic Ward, and one for General Ward and for Plastic Wards, also for Plastic Surgery Theatre.

Eversfield Chest Hospital, St. Leonards-on-Sea (105 beds). T.B. hospital Modern nurses' home overlooking sea. Part-time S.R.N. or B.T.A. for afternoon/evening duties and one S.R.N. Full-time. Res. or non-res.

Royal Sussex County Hospital, Brighton, 7 (314 beds). For General Wards. Res. or non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Royal East Sussex Hospital, Hastings (General—150 beds). For Theatre, and one for Eye Dept. (Theatre, O.P. and Wards).

Brighton General Hospital, Brighton 7 (664 beds). S.R.M.N. (female) for night duty, for Female Mental Unit and one for Theatre duties.

Hove General Hospital, 3 (75 beds). S.R.N. for Wards and Departments. Res. or non-res.

Buchanan Hospital, St. Leonards-on-Sea (General—94 beds). For Private Patients Department.

St. Helen's Hospital, Hastings (493 beds). S.R.N. One for Surgical Ward, one for Theatre.

Bexhill Hospital, Bexhill-on-Sea (62 beds). One for Women's Surgical Ward, one for Men's Medical Ward, one for Operating Theatre.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Sussex Maternity Hospital, Brighton, 7 (62 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. For Wards. Alternate day and night duty. Res. or non-res.

St. Mary's Hospital, Eastbourne (261 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Helen's Hospital, Hastings (493 beds). S.R.N. and/or S.C.M. Res. or non-res.

STAFF MIDWIVES—Contd.

Brighton General Hospital, Brighton (664 beds). S.F.N., S.C.M. For [illegible] balance duties and one S.R.N., S.C.M. for Ward duties.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Downside Hospital, East Dean Road, Eastbourne (87 beds). Non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Newhaven Infectious Diseases Hospital, Newhaven (20 beds). For General Ward work. Day and night duty. [illegible] resident and non-resident required.

Bexhill Hospital, Bexhill-on-Sea (62 beds). Full or part-time, Day and night duty.

Hove General Hospital, Hove (75 beds). For Wards. Res. or non-res.

Bevendean Hospital, Brighton (165 beds). S.E.A.N. (Two years training for B.T.A. Certificate if desired). Res. or non-res.

Queen Victoria Hospital, East Grinstead (246 staffed available beds). Day and night duty.

Downside Hospital, East Dean Road, Eastbourne (87 beds). Res. or non-res. Two posts.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

Downside Hospital, East Dean Road, Eastbourne (87 beds). Res. or non-res.

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SOUTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

STUDENT NURSES

Training usually lasts three years. An allowance of between £260-£285 payable during training, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform, if resident. There are vacancies at the following hospitals. Please apply for full details and application form to the Matron of the hospital concerned.

LONDON

ST. OLAVE'S HOSPITAL, LOWER ROAD, S.E.16 (319 beds). Block system of training. Students on Supplementary Registers received for shorter period of General Training.

MILLER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GREENWICH HIGH ROAD, S.E.10 (180 beds). Block system of training.

ST. ALFEGE'S HOSPITAL, GREENWICH, S.E.10 (504 beds). Block system of training.

DREADNOUGHT SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL GREENWICH, S.E.10 (149 beds). In association with Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Hospital, N.W.1. For Female Students and National Hospital, Queen's Square, W.C.1., for Male Students.

MEMORIAL AND BROOK GENERAL HOSPITALS, SHOOTER'S HILL, S.E.18 (624 beds).

ST. NICHOLAS HOSPITAL, TEWSON ROAD, PLUMSTEAD, S.E.18 (348 beds).

DULWICH HOSPITAL, EAST DULWICH GROVE, S.E.22 (392 beds). In conjunction with Kings College Hospital Medical School for teaching purposes. Male and female. Block system of training. Students on Supplementary Registers received for two year course of General Training.

ST. GILES' HOSPITAL, CAMBERWELL, S.E.5 (408 beds). Block system of training. Students on Supplementary Register received for two year course of General Training.

HITHER GREEN HOSPITAL, HITHER GREEN, S.E.13 (191 beds). Male and female. Two years training for Fever Register. Resident or non-resident.

LEWISHAM HOSPITAL, HIGH STREET, LEWISHAM, S.E.13 (611 beds). Male and female. Male students non-resident only.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, MORDEN HILL, LEWISHAM, S.E.13 (112 beds). Female Students.

EAST SUSSEX

HASTINGS SCHOOL OF NURSING, comprising **Royal East Sussex, Buchanan** and **St. Helen's Hospitals** (300 beds). Block system of training. Applications to Royal East Sussex Hospital.

BEXHILL HOSPITAL, HOLLIERS HILL, BEXHILL (62 beds).

EVERSFIELD CHEST HOSPITAL, ST. LEONARDS-ON-SEA (105 beds). For Tuberculosis Training.

EASTBOURNE NURSES' TRAINING SCHOOL comprising **Princess Alice Memorial, St. Mary's** and **Leaf Hospitals** (412 beds). Block system of training. Applications to Princess Alice Memorial Hospital.

BEVENDEAN HOSPITAL, BEAR ROAD, BRIGHTON (165 beds). For Tuberculosis Training (two year course for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate).

BRIGHTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, ELM GROVE, BRIGHTON (664 beds).

ROYAL SUSSEX COUNTY HOSPITAL, EASTERN ROAD, BRIGHTON (314 beds). Study day system of training.

KENT

QUEEN MARY'S HOSPITAL, SIDCUP (350 beds).

ORPINGTON AND SEVENOAKS SCHOOL OF NURSING comprising **Orpington and Sevenoaks Hospitals** (711 beds). Students on Supplementary Registers accepted for shorter period of General Training.

JOYCE GREEN HOSPITAL, DARTFORD (380 beds). General and Fever Training in three year 9 month course. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTHERN HOSPITAL, DARTFORD (350 beds). Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

WEST HILL HOSPITAL, DARTFORD (350 beds). Also Midwifery Training School.

GRAVESEND AND NORTH KENT HOSPITAL, GRAVESEND (142 beds). Study day system. Students on Supplementary Registers accepted for shorter periods of General Training.

ST. BARTHOLOMEWS HOSPITAL, ROCHESTER (201 beds). Study day system of training. Students on Supplementary Registers accepted for shorter period of General Training.

ALL SAINTS HOSPITAL, CHATHAM (371 beds). Study day system of training.

KENT AND CANTERBURY HOSPITAL, ETHELBERT ROAD, CANTERBURY (266 beds). Study day system of training.

RAMSGATE AND MARGATE GENERAL HOSPITALS (233 beds). Male and female.

ROYAL SEA BATHING HOSPITAL, MARGATE (242 beds). Male and female. Three year training scheme with **Ramsgate and Margate General Hospitals.** Also two year course for Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate—minimum age 17 years (£240)—second year counts as first year of General Training.

MAIDSTONE SCHOOL OF NURSING comprising **West Kent General Hospital** (141 beds). Male and female, **Kent County Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital** (113 beds). Female (also accepts female students at 17 years of age for two year course for Ophthalmic Nursing Diploma) and **Lenham Sanatorium, Nr. Maidstone** (168 beds). Male and female (also accepts students for two years course for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate).

TUNBRIDGE WELLS SCHOOL OF NURSING comprising **Kent and Sussex** and **Pembury Hospitals** (974 beds). Male and female.

ASHFORD HOSPITAL, ASHFORD (138 beds). Male and Female Students on Supplementary Registers accepted for shorter period of training.

BUCKLAND AND ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITALS, DOVER (222 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL, FOLKESTONE (155 beds).

MENTAL AND MENTAL DEFICIENCY NURSING

Training normally lasts three years. An allowance of between £305-£330 payable during training, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform, if resident. If over 21 years of age, the allowance is between £390-£420, less £144 for board, etc., if resident.

DARENTH PARK HOSPITAL, Nr. DARTFORD, KENT (2,050 beds). Mental Deficiency.

STONE HOUSE HOSPITAL, Nr. DARTFORD, KENT (553 beds). Mental.

LEYBOURNE GRANGE COLONY, WEST MALLING, KENT (1,327 beds). Mental Deficiency.

OAKWOOD HOSPITAL, MAIDSTONE, KENT (2,200 beds). Mental.

ST. AUGUSTINES HOSPITAL, CHARTHAM DOWN, Nr. CANTERBURY, KENT (1,700 beds). Mental.

HELLIN LY HOSPITAL, HAILSHAM, SUSSEX (1,500 beds). Mental.

ST. FRANCIS AND HURSTWOOD PARK HOSPITALS, HAYWARDS HEATH, SUSSEX (1,069 beds). Mental.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Vacancies for Pupil Assistant Nurses are available at the following hospitals. Please apply to the Matron of the hospital concerned. Training normally lasts two years. An allowance of between £260-£270 payable during training, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform, if resident.

LONDON

ST. ALFEGE'S HOSPITAL, GREENWICH, S.E.10 (269 beds).

ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL, CONSTANCE ROAD, S.E.22 (535 beds). Male and female. Male pupils, resident or non-resident.

NEW CROSS GENERAL HOSPITAL, S.E.14 (198 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ELTHAM AND MOTTINGHAM HOSPITAL, PASSEY PLACE, S.E.9 (General—42 beds)

EAST SUSSEX

QUEEN VICTORIA HOSPITAL, EAST GRINSTEAD (236 beds). Male and female pupils between ages 18 and 45. Male pupils, non-resident.

CUCKFIELD HOSPITAL, CUCKFIELD, Nr. HAYWARDS HEATH (300 beds increasing to 350). Residential accommodation for female pupils. Age 18 to 40.

KENT

QUEEN MARY'S HOSPITAL, SIDCUP (350 beds).

ORPINGTON HOSPITAL, SEVENOAKS ROAD, ORPINGTON (General—813 beds). Male and female. Resident or non-resident.

HILL HOUSE HOSPITAL, MINSTER, RAMSGATE (Chronic Sick—164 beds and accommodation for 76 infirm). Male and female.

SHEPPEY GENERAL HOSPITAL, MINSTER, ISLE OF SHEPPEY (120 beds). Resident or non-resident.

NUNNERY FIELDS HOSPITAL, CANTERBURY (Chronic Sick—136 beds). Male and female. Resident or non-resident.

LINTON HOSPITAL, Nr. MAIDSTONE (312 beds). Male and female.

WILLESBOROUGH AND HOTHFIELD HOSPITALS, Nr. ASHFORD (285 beds).

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, ETCHINGHILL, Nr. FOLKESTONE (170 beds).

This region covers S.E. London, Kent and E. Sussex. If you wish to train as a Student Nurse or a Pupil Assistant Nurse at a hospital not listed here, please write to the South-East Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board at 11 Portland Place, London, W.1, for further information. All letters will be acknowledged and an interview can be arranged with the Board's Nursing Officer if you require advice

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WELSH REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the Matron of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated) from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions of service are in accordance with the appropriate National Agreements.

MATRONS

RUTHIN HOSPITAL

(46 beds, including 5 maternity beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. For temporary period of approximately 12 months. Salary scale £650 x £20 (4) to £730 per annum, less a charge of £218 for board and lodging. Applications to Group Secretary, "Rhianfa", Russell Road, Rhyl.

ABERDARE GENERAL HOSPITAL

(102 beds). Applications are invited for the post of Matron of the above hospital which forms part, with Merthyr General Hospital, of a Group School of Nursing for State Registered Nurses. Applicants should be S.R.N., S.C.M., and have had administrative experience. Salary £710 x £25 (3) x £30 (2)—£845 per annum, less a charge of £219 for board and lodging. Applications stating age, qualifications and experience, with names and addresses of three referees, should be forwarded to the Secretary, Merthyr and Aberdare H.M.C., St. Tydfil's Hospital, Merthyr Tydfil, immediately.

TREDEGAR GENERAL HOSPITAL

The salary and conditions of service are in accordance with the scales and conditions agreed by the Nurses' and Midwives' Functional Council for a hospital of 50 to 99 beds, viz., £680 x £20 to £740 plus £25 to £765 per annum of which £218 will be payable to the hospital authority for a furnished flat adjoining the hospital. Candidates must be State Registered Nurses and preference will be given to those who have had administrative experience in a responsible position in a general hospital. Tredegar Hospital (within 8 miles from Abergavenny, 20 miles from Newport and 20 miles from Cardiff) is an acute general surgical unit of 50 beds for men, women and children, with 6 beds for orthopaedic cases. The hospital is a Component Assistant Nurse Training School in association with St. James Hospital, Tredegar. The appointment is subject to three months' notice on either side. Applications stating age, qualifications, and giving full particulars of previous and present posts and experience, together with the names and addresses of three referees, should reach the Secretary, Hospital Management Committee, Central Offices, Caerphilly Road, Ystrad Mynach, Glam., by 12 noon on Wednesday, 31st October, 1956.

ASSISTANT MATRONS

CEFN ILA MATERNITY HOME

Nr. USK (21 beds). Salary £570 x £20 (6) x £10 (1) to £700, less £176 board residence. Hospital in pleasant country surroundings, one mile from Usk. Good experience. Apply to Group Secretary, 64 Cardiff Road, Newport.

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). Complete Training School. S.R.N., S.C.M. Salary £550 x £15 (6) to £640 per annum, less £163 residential emoluments. Conditions of service as laid down by Whitley Council. Applications to Group Secretary, West Wales Hospital Management Committee, Glangwili, Carmarthen.

PORT TALBOT GENERAL HOSPITAL

HOSPITAL ROAD, PORT TALBOT (85 beds). This hospital is recognised by the G.N.C. as training school for nurses in affiliation with Neath General Hospital. Salary £590 x £20 (5) to £690 per annum less £176 for residential emoluments. Vacancy available 1st January, 1957. Applications to Group Secretary, Mid Glamorgan Hospital Management Committee, 8 Wind Street, Neath.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

PRINCE OF WALES ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL

RHYDLAFAR, Nr. CARDIFF (281 beds). Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate or good orthopaedic experience essential. Resident or non-resident.

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL

Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). S.R.N., B.T.A., with experience in all branches of tuberculosis nursing.

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

COUNTY HOSPITAL

GRIFFITHSTOWN, Nr. NEWPORT (253 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

ST. LAWRENCE HOSPITAL

CHEPSTOW, MON. (Plastic Surgery—127 and Orthopaedic—50 beds).

SISTER TUTOR

GROUP PRELIMINARY TRAINING SCHOOL
ST. LAWRENCE HOSPITAL

CHEPSTOW. Second. Apply to Matron, Royal Gwent Hospital, Newport.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL

CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (316 beds). Administrative.

CARDIGAN & DISTRICT HOSPITAL

CARDIGAN (36 beds). S.R.N. with theatre experience and will be required to assist Matron in general administrative duties.

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

CATHERINE GLADSTONE MATERNITY HOME

MANCOT, QUEENSFERRY (25 beds).

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL

Maternity Unit (54 beds).

MIDWIFERY SISTERS—Contd.

ST. JAMES HOSPITAL

TREDEGAR, MON. (Medical, Geriatric and Obstetric—160 beds). S.R.N., S.C.

RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL

PEMBROKE (Maternity Unit of 18 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL

QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds). With previous experience.

VICTORIA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

WELSHPOOL.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL

BANGOR.

NIGHT SISTERS

WEST WALES GENERAL HOSPITAL

CARMARTHEN (188 beds). S.R.N. Second of two for busy general hospital. Must have good theatre and midwifery experience. Resident or non-resident.

MORRISTON HOSPITAL

SWANSEA (501 beds). One of three under supervision of Night Superintendent. Forms of application can be obtained from the Matron.

LLANGEFNI SANATORIUM

LLANGEFNI

ENERGLYN HOSPITAL

CAERPHILLY (Tuberculosis and Paediatrics—70 beds). Relief required in Female Surgical Ward on 1st November.

CYMLA CHEST HOSPITAL

CYMLA, NEATH (84 beds). This hospital has an up-to-date Thoracic Unit.

GROESWEN HOSPITAL

MARGAM ROAD, PORT TALBOT (52 beds). In sole charge.

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL

Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). S.R.N., B.T.A. or S.R.N. only, as holiday relief.

LLUESTY HOSPITAL

HOLYWELL (155 beds).

CATHERINE GLADSTONE MATERNITY HOME

MANCOT, QUEENSFERRY (25 beds).

FLINT COTTAGE HOSPITAL

FLINT (26 beds).

SISTERS

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL

Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). S.R.N., B.T.A., as holiday relief.

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL

S.R.N., S.C.M., with premature baby unit experience, and for maternity of 54 beds.

ST. TYDFIL'S HOSPITAL

MERTHYR TYDFIL (375 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., for relief duties. Must have theatre experience.

SOUTH WALES SANATORIUM

TALGARTH (284 beds). S.R.N.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL

BRECON (54 beds). S.R.N.

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

HAVERFORDWEST (Maternity Unit of 18 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

TENBY COTTAGE HOSPITAL

TENBY (16 beds). S.R.N. Some theatre experience desirable; also Sister, S.R.N. with midwifery qualification.

PRIORY HOSPITAL

HAVERFORDWEST. Night Sister, S.R.N., S.C.M., in sole charge, or two Sisters S.R.N., S.C.M., for alternate day and night duty in 20 bed Maternity Unit of 83 chronic sick beds.

SOUTH PEMBS. HOSPITAL

PEMBROKE DOCK (16 beds). S.R.N.

THEATRE SUPERINTENDENTS

ST. LAWRENCE HOSPITAL

CHEPSTOW (Plastic Surgery—127 and Orthopaedic—50 beds).

THEATRE SISTERS

PONTYPOOL AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL

PONTYPOOL, MON. (126 beds).

CAERPHILLY DISTRICT MINERS' HOSPITAL

Nr. CARDIFF (General Medical and Surgical—226 beds).

THEATRE SISTER OR CHARGE NURSE

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL

MATERNITY UNIT (54 beds).

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WELSH REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

WARD SISTERS

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
Ophthalmic trained for ophthalmic unit of 16 beds, for duties in Out-patient Department, Wards and Theatre.

LLUESTY HOSPITAL
HOLYWELL (155 beds). Three, full-time. Resident or non-resident.

FLINT COTTAGE HOSPITAL
FLINT (26 beds). Resident.

ROYAL HAMADRYAD GENERAL AND SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL
CARDIFF (66 beds: General Medical—22; General Surgical—22; Genito-Urinary—22). Part-time Night Sister required.

ST. WOOLOS HOSPITAL
NEWPORT (379 beds). Relief.

CAERPHILLY DISTRICT MINERS' HOSPITAL
Nr. CARDIFF (General Medical and Surgical—226 beds). Required for Female Surgical Ward on 1st November.

BUILTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL
BUILTH WELLS (25 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

KNIGHTON HOSPITAL
KNIGHTON (48 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

MORRISTON HOSPITAL
SWANSEA (501 beds). For Neurosurgical and Traumatic Ward (28 beds). Forms of application can be obtained from the Matron.

PORT TALBOT GENERAL HOSPITAL
HOSPITAL ROAD, PORT TALBOT (85 beds).

CYMLA CHEST HOSPITAL
CYMLA, NEATH (84 beds). This hospital has an up-to-date Thoracic Unit.

MAESTEG GENERAL HOSPITAL
MAESTEG (58 beds). Preferably resident.

PONTYPOOL & DISTRICT HOSPITAL
PONTYPOOL, MON. (126 beds). Relief.

MOUNT PLEASANT HOSPITAL
CHEPSTOW (290 beds). For ex-Servicemen's Neurological Unit.

ST. LAWRENCE HOSPITAL
CHEPSTOW (Plastic Surgery—127. Orthopaedic—50 beds). For Children's Plastic Ward, with some orthopaedics.

WEST WALES GENERAL HOSPITAL
CARMARTHEN (188 beds). S.R.N., with good experience of E.N.T. work, and also S.R.N. with good experience in orthopaedics.

STAFF NURSES

PRINCE OF WALES ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL
CROSSWAYS, COWBRIDGE. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL HAMADRYAD GENERAL AND SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL
CARDIFF (66 beds: General Medical—22; General Surgical—22; Genito-Urinary—22). Day or night duty. Part or full-time. Resident or non-resident. **Also Theatre Staff Nurse.**

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). S.R.N. Post-graduate training available for B.T.A. Certificate.

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
Ophthalmic trained for Ophthalmic Unit of 16 beds for duties in Out-patient Department, Wards and Theatre.

DENBIGHSHIRE INFIRMARY
DENBIGH (50 beds).

HAWARDEN ISOLATION HOSPITAL
Nr. CHESTER (41 beds). S.R.N. or S.R.F.N. Resident or non-resident.

LLUESTY HOSPITAL
HOLYWELL (155 beds).

COLWYN BAY & WEST DENBIGHSHIRE HOSPITAL
COLWYN BAY (60 beds). Theatre experience desirable but not essential. Resident or non-resident.

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (316 beds). S.R.N.—with Premature Baby Nursing experience—for new Premature Baby Unit.

GRAIG HOSPITAL
COURTHOUSE STREET, PONTYPRIDD (309 beds).

PONTYPRIDD & DISTRICT HOSPITAL
THE COMMON, PONTYPRIDD (36 beds).

PORTH & DISTRICT HOSPITAL
PORTH, RHONDDA (110 beds).

TREHERBERT HOSPITAL
TREHERBERT, RHONDDA (29 beds).

TYNTYLA HOSPITAL
TONYPANDY, RHONDDA (118 beds).

BRECONSHIRE WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
BRECON (36 beds).

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
BRECON (54 beds).

SOUTH WALES SANATORIUM
GILGARTH (284 beds).

STAFF NURSES—Contd.

BUILTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL
BUILTH WELLS (25 beds).

ST. LAWRENCE HOSPITAL
CHEPSTOW (Plastic Surgery—127. Orthopaedic—50 beds).

SULLY HOSPITAL
SULLY, GLAM. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital, 324 beds, facing sea. Recognised by General Nursing Council to participate in three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital, Glam. **Theatre Staff Nurses** for experience in thoracic and cardiac surgery. **Male Staff Nurses;** vacancies exist for male S.R.N.s, also limited vacancies with married accommodation available.

LLANGEFNI SANATORIUM
LLANGEFNI.

LLANDUDNO GENERAL HOSPITAL
LLANDUDNO. For theatre.

MOUNT PLEASANT HOSPITAL
CHEPSTOW (290 beds). For Chest Unit or ex-Servicemen's Neurological Unit (both female or male).

ST. TYDFIL'S HOSPITAL
MERTHYR TYDFIL (375 beds). For Theatre and Orthopaedic Ward.

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (412 beds).

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL
QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds).

PORT TALBOT GENERAL HOSPITAL
HOSPITAL ROAD, PORT TALBOT (85 beds).

TONNA CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
TONNA, NEATH (90 beds).

CAERPHILLY DISTRICT MINERS' HOSPITAL
Nr. CARDIFF (General Medical and Surgical—226 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ST. JAMES HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR, MON. (Medical, Geriatric and Obstetric—160 beds).

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). S.R.N.

WEST WALES GENERAL HOSPITAL
CARMARTHEN (188 beds). S.R.N. for theatre.

KENSINGTON HOSPITAL
ST. BRIDES, HAVERFORDWEST (100 beds). S.R.N. Tuberculosis in children.

CARDIGAN & DISTRICT HOSPITAL
CARDIGAN (36 beds). S.R.N.

MEYRICK HOSPITAL
PEMBROKE DOCK (16 beds). S.R.N.

ST. WOOLOS HOSPITAL
NEWPORT, MON. (379 beds).

GROESYNYD HOSPITAL
CONWAY.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
BANGOR. Children's Ward.

POST GRADUATE NURSES

SULLY HOSPITAL
SULLY, GLAM. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital, 324 beds, facing sea. Recognised by General Nursing Council to participate in three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. One year training for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

CEFN MABLY HOSPITAL
ST. MELLON, CARDIFF (158 beds). One year's training for B.T.A. Certificate. Hospital situated in pleasant country surroundings six miles from Cardiff. Good transport facilities.

ALLT-YR-YN HOSPITAL
NEWPORT (110 beds). Twelve months' training for Fever Certificate. Hospital caters for I.D. cases only and is situated in town on bus route.

PRINCE OF WALES ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL
RHYDLAFAR, CARDIFF (281 beds). Orthopaedic Centre for Wales. Post-graduate training for Orthopaedic Certificate, one year. Students are prepared for examination of Joint Examination Board (British Orthopaedic Association and Central Council for Care of Cripples). Examinations held February, May and October. Resident or non-resident.

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). Thoracic Centre for North Wales. Modern chest hospital situated in pleasant country, only 16 miles from the sea. Good transport facilities. One year training for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Pulmonary tuberculosis, orthopaedics, genito-urinary, and non-tuberculous chest work.

STAFF MIDWIVES

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (316 beds).

LLWYNYPIA HOSPITAL
LLWYNYPIA, RHONDDA (190 beds).

MORRISTON HOSPITAL
SWANSEA (501 beds). For Maternity Unit of 40 beds. Forms of application can be obtained from the Matron.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
BANGOR.

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WELSH REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

STAFF MIDWIVES—Contd.

LLANDUDNO MATERNITY HOME
LLANDUDNO.

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (Obstetric—64 beds). This hospital is classified as a complete training school (including midwifery training) and has a modern and well-equipped maternity unit.

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL
QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds).

MAESTEG MATERNITY HOSPITAL
MAESTEG (11 beds).

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

WEST WALES GENERAL HOSPITAL
CARMARTHEN (188 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL
PEMBROKE (Maternity Unit of 18 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

VICTORIA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
WELSHPOOL.

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
ST. ASAPH. For Maternity Unit of 54 beds.

DENBIGHSHIRE INFIRMARY
DENBIGH (50 beds).

COLWYN BAY MATERNITY HOME
(16 beds). Two (resident or non-resident).

CHATSWORTH HOUSE MATERNITY HOME
PRESTATYN (19 beds).

ST. JAMES HOSPITAL, TREDEGAR, MON.
(Medical, Geriatric and Obstetric—160 beds)
S.R.N., S.C.M. or **S.C.M.** only. Four vacancies for married Midwives (full-time).
NEW HOUSING ACCOMMODATION AVAILABLE IN TOWN.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (Obstetric—64 beds). This hospital is classified as a complete training school (including midwifery training) and has a modern and well-equipped maternity unit.

ST. JAMES HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR, MON. (Medical, Geriatric and Obstetric—160 beds). Vacancies for Part II training.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). Opportunity for taking B.T.A. examination.

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
ST. ASAPH. For Ophthalmic Unit of 16 beds, also for Medical and Surgical Wards.

HAWARDEN ISOLATION HOSPITAL
Nr. CHESTER (41 beds).

LLUESTY HOSPITAL
HOLYWELL (155 beds).

BRONYNANT ISOLATION HOSPITAL
COLWYN BAY (25 beds).

COLWYN BAY MATERNITY HOME
COLWYN BAY (16 beds).

DENBIGHSHIRE INFIRMARY
DENBIGH (50 beds).

PRINCE OF WALES ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL
CROSSWAYS, COWBRIDGE. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL HAMADRYAD GENERAL AND SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL
CARDIFF (66 beds: General Medical—22: General Surgical—22: Genito-Urinary—22). Day or night duty. Part or full-time. Resident or non-resident.

PORT TALBOT GENERAL HOSPITAL
HOSPITAL ROAD, PORT TALBOT (85 beds).

GROESWEN HOSPITAL
MARGAM ROAD, PORT TALBOT. For Infectious Diseases Ward.

BRECONSHIRE WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
BRECON (36 beds).

KNIGHTON HOSPITAL
KNIGHTON (48 beds).

SOUTH WALES SANATORIUM
TALGARTH (284 beds). Male or female.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
BRECON (54 beds).

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (316 beds).

GRAIG HOSPITAL
COURTHOUSE STREET, PONTYPRIDD (309 beds).

PONTYPRIDD & DISTRICT HOSPITAL
THE COMMON, PONTYPRIDD (36 beds).

BUILTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL
BUILTH WELLS (25 beds).

SULLY HOSPITAL
SULLY, GLAM. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital 324 beds, facing sea. Recognised by General Nursing Council to participate in three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. Opportunity given to train for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Two years' training

LLANDOVERY COTTAGE HOSPITAL
LLANDOVERY (18 beds).

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (412 beds). Male or female.

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL
QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds).

CYMLA CHEST HOSPITAL
CYMLA, NEATH (84 beds).

TONNA CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
TONNA, NEATH (90 beds).

CAERPHILLY DISTRICT MINERS' HOSPITAL
Nr. CARDIFF (General Medical and Surgical—226 beds). Resident or non-residen

GELLIGAER HOSPITAL
HENGOED, GLAMORGAN (Tuberculosis and Infectious Diseases—60 beds).

ST. TYDFIL'S HOSPITAL
MERTHYR TYDFIL (375 beds). Male and female.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

RUTHIN HOSPITAL
(46 beds).

DENBIGHSHIRE INFIRMARY
DENBIGH (50 beds).

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds).

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
ST. ASAPH.

STUDENT NURSES

SULLY HOSPITAL
SULLY, GLAM. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital 324 beds, facing sea. Recognised by General Nursing Council to participate in three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. For three years' general training. Also two years' training for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

MENTAL NURSING

MATRON

THE VALE OF USK HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
Applications are invited for the post of Matron at Pen-y-Val Hospital, Abergavenny. The hospital, for neurological and psychiatric disorders, is recognised by the General Nursing Council as a training school and candidates must have had experience in nursing administrative duties. The hospital is situated in delightful surroundings adjacent to the town of Abergavenny which is a tourist centre with many first-class facilities. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations for 600-699 beds: £935 x £30 (3) to £35 (3)—£1,130 less £223 per annum for board, apartments and laundry. Application forms may be obtained from the Group Secretary, Pen-y-Val Hospital, Abergavenny.

FEMALE STAFF NURSES

MORGANNWG HOSPITAL
BRIDGEND (Park Division).

OTHER VACANCIES. There are vacancies for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses, Pupil Midwives and Trainees for the B.T.A. Certificate at training hospitals within the Region, and a list of hospitals (including mental hospitals) will be sent on application to the Regional Nursing Officer, Welsh Regional Hospital Board, Temple of Peace and Health, Cathays Park, Cardiff.

(2405)

DEFECTIVE OR

EDINBURGH & SOUTH-EASTERN REGION OF SCOTLAND

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

IGHT PERINTENDENT:

ROSSLYNLEE MENTAL HOSPITAL, Roslin Castle, Midlothian. 430 beds. R.G.N., R.M.N. Some administrative experience desirable. Training School for the Mental Nurses' Register, General Nursing Council. Hospital within 10 miles of Edinburgh.

SSISTANT MATRON, M.N. and S.R.N.:

STRATHEDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL, Cupar, Fife. 1,025 beds.

GHT SISTER:

PEEL HOSPITAL, Clovenfords, Nr. Galashiels, Selkirkshire. 220 beds. General Training School.

ARD SISTERS:

STRATHEDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL, Cupar, Fife. 1,025 beds. R.M.N.

BELHAVEN HOSPITAL, Dunbar, East Lothian. 32 beds. Long-stay patients. Immediate vacancy.

EDINGTON COTTAGE HOSPITAL, North Berwick. 9 beds. Resident.

TAFF MIDWIVES:

GALASHIELS HOSPITAL, Galashiels, Selkirkshire. 33 beds.

KNOLL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Duns, Berwickshire. 7 beds.

CRAIGTOUN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Nr. St. Andrews, Fife. 48 beds. Part I and Part II Training School. Two required.

TAFF NURSES:

KNOWE PARK HOSPITAL, Galashiels. 32 beds. Long-term patients.

BELHAVEN HOSPITAL, Dunbar, East Lothian. 32 beds. Long-stay patients. Immediate vacancy.

STRATHEDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL, Cupar, Fife. 1,025 beds. Vacancies on Female Wards.

ROODLANDS HOSPITAL, Haddington, East Lothian. Expanding general hospital. Modern surgical unit.

SANDERSON I.D. HOSPITAL, Galashiels, Selkirkshire. 45 beds.

BANGOUR GENERAL HOSPITAL, Broxburn, West Lothian. 619 beds. Medical, Surgical, Ophthalmic and Tuberculosis Wards. Opportunity to take B.T.A. Certificate.

PEEL HOSPITAL, Clovenfords, Nr. Galashiels, Selkirkshire. 220 beds.

TATE ENROLLED SSISTANT NURSES:

GORDON HOSPITAL, Gordon, Berwickshire. 27 beds. Long-term patients.

GALASHIELS HOSPITAL, Galashiels, Selkirkshire. 33 beds.

PIL MIDWIVES:

BANGOUR GENERAL HOSPITAL, Broxburn, West Lothian. 619 beds. Part II training only. Vacancies December, 1956, and February, 1957.

ST-REGISTRATION URSES:

BANGOUR GENERAL HOSPITAL, Broxburn, West Lothian. 619 beds.

Plastic and Maxillo Facial Surgical Nursing. Special Course. A six months' course is offered with experience in wards and departments of all types of reconstructional surgery. Certificate awarded to successful students.

Whitley Council salary scales and conditions of service will apply to the ve appointments.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience and names of two erees, to be submitted direct to the Matron of the respective hospitals for the ve vacancies.

Particulars of Nurse Training Schools and other vacancies may be obtained m the Regional Nursing Officer, South-Eastern Regional Hospital Board, Drumsheugh Gardens, Edinburgh, 3. (41)

RISTOL MENTAL HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the post of **Deputy Group Matron** of the Bristol tal Hospitals comprising Fishponds and Barrow Hospitals, a Neurosis Unit, a Day-patient Hospital. Total 943 female beds. The hospitals are recognised a training school for nurses. The post offers exceptional opportunities in dern psychiatric nursing. Salary £720-£820.

Applications stating age, qualifications and experience and names of two ees, should be sent to Group Matron, Bristol Mental Hospital, Fishponds, stol, within 14 days. (2256)

SAXONDALE HOSPITAL
RADCLIFFE-ON-TRENT, NOTTINGHAM

DEPUTY MATRON

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates with administrative erience for the post of **Deputy Matron.**

Saxondale is a modern and well-equipped psychiatric hospital where all modern atments are actively carried out, and is situated within easy reach of the of Nottingham.

Comfortable accommodation is available, if required, at scale charges. Salary scale 500-599 beds, viz., £680-£780 p.a.

Applications giving full particulars, with names of two referees, to be sent the Matron within 14 days of the appearance of this advertisement. (2259)

MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL

UNTY HEALTH DEPT.

Two Deputy Matrons (res.) required initially at Mother and Baby Homes in ssey and Ealing (for 15 and 24 unsupported mothers and their babies pectively). Must be S.C.M. Salary scale £505 to £635 p.a., less £164 p.a. board and lodging. Established, pensionable posts, subject to medical atment and prescribed conditions.

Apply stating age, qualifications, experience and two referees, to County ical Officer, Ref. "S", 3, 5 and 7 Old Queen Street, S.W.1, by 9th November ote T.891 N.T.). Canvassing disqualifies. (2441)

HEATHCOTE HOSPITAL, Nr. WARWICK

(Diseases of the Chest—50 beds)

Applications invited for post of **Assistant Matron.** Salary £580 x £20 (5)—£680 per annum, less £176 per annum for board and residence.

Applications with details of training, experience and names and addresses of three referees, to Group Secretary, 50 Holly Walk, Leamington Spa, by 7th November, 1956. (2361)

Burnley and District Hospital Management Committee
MARSDEN HOSPITAL, BURNLEY

(T.B. and Isolation—78 beds)

ASSISTANT MATRON

Salary £590 x £20 (5) to £690 per annum. Applicants should be S.R.N. and the R.F.N. qualification would be an advantage. Previous administrative experience is desirable. The post is resident.

The hospital is situated in a residential area on the outskirts of Burnley and a frequent bus service is available to the centre of Burnley and neighbouring towns. A Group Training School, which includes the Marsden Hospital, is being introduced.

Applications, together with the names and addresses of two referees, should be received by the Group Secretary, Burnley General Hospital, Burnley, not later than the 7th November, 1956. (2373)

AMENDED ADVERTISEMENT

Mid-Kent Hospital Management Committee
LENHAM SANATORIUM

(168 beds)

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for appointment of **Assistant Matron** at Lenham Sanatorium, recognised by the General Nursing Council as an Affiliated Training School and also recognised for the Certificate of the British Tuberculosis Association. The duties of the post include supervision of the nurses' home. Salary £590 x £20—£690, less £176 for residential emoluments.

Applications stating age, qualifications and experience, and the names and addresses of two referees, to be sent to the Group Secretary, 103 Tonbridge Road, Maidstone, Kent, by the 3rd November, 1956.

(Note—The duties of the above appointment do not now include the instruction of student nurses.) (2231)

BOSTON COMBINED HOSPITALS

(319 beds)

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** to the General Unit (80 beds) which incorporates the main teaching centre of the Complete Training School. Duties will include those of deputy to the Matron and responsibility for housekeeping and catering. Whitley Council scale: £590 x £20 (5)—£690.

Applications stating age, training, qualifications and posts held, together with the names of three referees, should be sent to the Matron, Boston General Hospital, South End, Boston, Lincs., from whom further information can be obtained. (2321)

Montreal Canada

THE MONTREAL GENERAL HOSPITAL

. . . offers opportunities for *Staff Nurses.* Attractive new building of 750 beds with an interesting variety of experience.

For further particulars write to:

THE DIRECTOR OF NURSING
1650 Cedar Avenue,
Montreal 25,
Quebec,
Canada.

VE ORIGINAL

MANCHESTER EDUCATION COMMITTEE

State Registered Nurse required for post of **Deputy Matron** at Margaret Barclay Residential School for Crippled Children, Mobberley, Cheshire.

Salary £580 x £20—£680 p.a., less £176 p.a. for board and lodging.

Application form and particulars obtainable (stamped addressed foolscap envelope) from Chief Education Officer, P.O. Box 480, Manchester, 3, returnable by 12th November, 1956. (2237)

SOUTHERN GENERAL HOSPITAL GLASGOW, S.W.1

Assistant Matron with general and mental training and administrative experience required to take charge of new Psychiatric Unit of 100 beds, opening early in 1957. The unit is in association with the University of Glasgow, and undergraduate and postgraduate teaching will be conducted in addition to research.

Whitley Council Scales and conditions of service.

Write to Matron, not later than 15th November, 1956, giving full details of age, qualifications and experience, together with the names of two referees. (2129)

NEW HALL HOSPITAL, Nr. SOUTHPORT

Assistant Matron required shortly for this modern T.B. and I.D. hospital which is situated in delightful country, within easy reach of Southport.

Candidates must be S.R.N.s and also should be either R.F.N.s or have had fever experience.

Salary £580 to £680 p.a., less £176 for residential charges.

Applications stating age, experience, qualifications and names of two referees to Matron, New Hall Hospital, Scarisbrick, Nr. Southport. (2331)

HEREFORDSHIRE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE ALTON STREET HOSPITAL ROSS-ON-WYE
(167 beds)

Deputy Matron required. The hospital, to be re-adapted as an M.D. Institution, at present accommodates 127 mental defectives, plus 40 chronic sick patients.

Applicants must be mental deficiency or mental trained.

Salary according to scale i.e. £605—£705.

Apply in writing with names of three referees to Matron. (2343)

PORT BREDY HOSPITAL BRIDPORT

Assistant Matron (S.R.N.) required for above hospital, comprising 38 female geriatric and 30 female M.D. beds, with possibly 16 additional male geriatric beds.

Salary and conditions in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations (£580 x £20—£680 p.a.).

Applications stating age, qualifications and experience, together with names of three referees, to be sent to the Group Secretary, West Dorset Group H.M.C., Damers Road, Dorchester, Dorset, immediately. (2346)

CASTEL HOSPITAL FOR MENTAL AND NERVOUS DISORDERS GUERNSEY, CHANNEL ISLANDS

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** at the above hospital of 120 beds.

Candidates must be State Registered in General Nursing and should also be State Registered in Mental Nursing or hold the Certificate of R.M.P.A.

Salary scale in accordance with Whitley Council. Superannuation under the F.S.S.N. and H.O. (C).

Applications, together with copies of recent testimonials, should be sent to the Medical Superintendent, Castel Hospital, Guernsey. (2394)

THE FYLDE FARM SCHOOL POULTON-LE-FYLDE, Nr. BLACKPOOL

Assistant Matron wanted (resident) in this Home Office Approved School. Vacancy due to promotion of present Assistant Matron as a Matron elsewhere. Experience in Home Nursing and First Aid essential. Capable of caring for linen and clothing. Ability to use sewing machines an advantage. Salary £370 by annual increments of £15 to a maximum of £430, less £113 per annum for full board, lodging and laundry.

The post is pensionable. Holidays with pay. Excellent accommodation.

Applications to H. Hamer, Headmaster. (2382)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY

Applications are invited for the post as **Assistant Matron** at the Radcliffe Infirmary.

Full details of the post can be obtained from Matron. (2406)

DUNDEE ROYAL INFIRMARY

Applications are invited from Registered General Nurses who are also State Certified Midwives for appointment as **Assistant Matron** to undertake alternate day and night duty. Previous experience as Ward Sister essential.

Whitley conditions and salary £680—£780.

Apply Matron. (2410)

NEWCASTLE REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Management Committees applications are invited for the following appointments; and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), to the Matron of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated), from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions are in accordance with the appropriate National Agreements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

HOLYWOOD HALL HOSPITAL, Wolsingham (Tuberculosis—172 beds). **Administrative Sister/Tutor,** qualified or unqualified, for training school. To relieve on admin. duties. Hospital at present recognised for B.T.A. Certificate. To be affiliated with a general hospital in near future. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

GENERAL HOSPITAL, South Shields (602 beds). Resident or non-resident.

HOLYWOOD HALL HOSPITAL, Wolsingham (Tuberculosis—172 beds). S.R.N., B.T.A. preferred. Resident or non-resident.

THE ROYAL INFIRMARY, Durham Road, Sunderland (300 beds). Will be one of four. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Hexham (305 beds). Able to deputise for theatre superintendent. Resident or non-resident.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, South Shields (600 beds). Working under Departmental Sister. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

GENERAL HOSPITAL, South Shields (602 beds). Day Relief Ward Sisters. Resident or non-resident.

NEWCASTLE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Westgate Road, Newcastle upon Tyne, 4 (838 beds). S.R.N., R.M.N. required for Department of Psychological Medicine (54 beds). Resident or non-resident.

WALKER ACCIDENT HOSPITAL, Airey Terrace, Newcastle upon Tyne, 6 (21 beds). Ward Sister required to work on Eye Wards with Senior Sister. Ophthalmic experience desirable but not essential. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Hexham (305 beds). For theatre duty. Resident or non-resident.

HOLYWOOD HALL HOSPITAL, Wolsingham (Tuberculosis—172 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. Resident or non-resident.

NEWCASTLE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Westgate Road, Newcastle upon Tyne, 4 (838 beds). S.R.N., R.M.N. required for Department of Psychological Medicine (54 beds). Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

FAIRHILL HOSPITAL, Nr. Penrith (Chronic Sick and Convalescent—15 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

LEEHOLME HOSPITAL, Easington, Co. Durham (201 beds). For Geriatric Wards. Male. Non-resident.

SEAHAM HALL HOSPITAL, Seaham, Co. Durham (122 beds). The hospital is a Regional Thoracic Unit and a Training School for the B.T.A. Certificate. Female. Resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

BRIDGE END MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Corbridge-on-Tyne (14 beds). Resident or non-resident.

DILSTON HALL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Corbridge-on-Tyne (50 beds). Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

THE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Chester Road, Sunderland (81 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only, will be considered. Part I Midwifery Training School. Resident or non-resident.

THE THORPE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Easington, Co. Durham (32 beds). S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

THE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Chester Road, Sunderland (81 beds). S.R.N.s for six months' training on 1st May and 1st August, 1957. Resident or non-resident. (19)

Doncaster Hospital Management Committee

ST. CATHERINE'S INSTITUTION, DONCASTER

DEPUTY MATRON

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for the resident post of **Deputy Matron** at this modern mental deficiency hospital of 528 beds situated in pleasant surroundings on the outskirts of Doncaster. The hospital is approved as a complete training school for mental deficiency nursing.

The salary scale appropriate to the post is that of the 300-399 bed range, viz., £635 p.a. rising by annual increments of £20 to £735 p.a.

Applications stating age, education, qualifications, details of past and present posts and experience, together with the names and addresses of three referees, should be forwarded to reach the undersigned not later than 19th November, 1956.

ARTHUR JONES,
Group Secretary.

Doncaster Royal Infirmary. (2366)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS THE GENERAL INFIRMARY AT LEEDS

Qualified Sister Tutor required for six. Block system of education.

Please apply to Matron, giving details of training and experience, together with and three names for reference.

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY

Qualified Sister Tutor required in the Senior Teaching Department, on day system of teaching.

For full particulars please apply to Matron.

LEWS AND HARRIS HOSPITAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

Applications are invited for the **Resident Sister Tutor** at the Lewis Stornoway, which is a Preliminary Training School with approximately 90 beds.

The post falls vacant on 1st January and applications giving the names of referees (or references) should be with the undersigned immediately.

IAN MACLEOD,
Lewis Hospital,
Stornoway.

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL LONDON, S.W.1.

Applications are invited from Nurses having the Health Visitor's Certificate for post of **Departmental Sister** at The Hospital (a Teaching Unit of St. George's Hospital).

The successful applicant will be in charge of a small Out-Patient Department and also assist with health teaching in Wards and with the teaching of Nurses in the preventive and social aspects of illness. Resident or non-resident.

Apply Matron.

THE INFIRMARY, KILMARNOCK
ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

Applications are invited from suitably qualified, experienced nurses, for this post.

Apply to Matron.

ROYAL VICTORIA EYE AND EAR HOSPITAL, DUBLIN

Housekeeping Sister required with experience as such, also knowledge of and catering (200 persons daily). post. Federated Superannuation Scheme.

Apply Matron.

SOUTH MANCHESTER H.M.C. NEWALL HOUSE WYTHENSHAWE, MANCHESTER

Applications are invited for the post of **Deputy Warden (Female)** in House which is a residential hostel nursing staff of the Baguley and Wythenshawe Hospitals and for physiotherapy students is on direct bus routes to Manchester within easy reach of North Cheshire.

Salary £382 x £16 (4)—£446 p.a. £152 p.a. for board residence. Four annual leave p.a., plus statutory holidays.

Applications stating age, experience, names of two referees, to be forwarded the Group Secretary, Withington Hospital, Manchester, 20, immediately.

NORTHERN IRELAND HOSPITALS AUTHORITY FERMANAGH COUNTY HOSPITAL

Home Sister, S.R.N. Required November, for hospital of 82 beds.

Applicants must have some administrative and housekeeping experience.

Applications to the Secretary, Fermanagh County Hospital, Enniskillen, N. Ireland, before 12th November, 1956.

UNITED BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS BIRMINGHAM MATERNITY HOSPITAL

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Home Sister.**

Administrative experience available.

Full particulars of training and duties to be made to Matron, Maternity Hospital, Loveday Street, Birmingham, 4.

THE UNITED BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Applications are invited for the following posts:—

Night Sister, S.R.N., R.S.C.N.
Theatre Sister, S.R.N., R.S.C.N.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, with names for references to Matron, Children's Hospital, Birmingham.

CANBERRA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

The post of **Supervising Night Sister** will become vacant at the end of December.

Applications are invited from State general and midwifery certificates. Experience in modern Nurses' Home. Uniform allowance.

Salary range £13 3s. 6d. to £15 [illegible] according to number of certificates and experience £1 only is deducted for board and lodging.

Apply to the Matron.

If migrating representations will be made to Australia House to expedite passage.

DEFECTIVE C

WEMBLEY HOSPITAL
(134 beds)
(Associated with Charing Cross Hospital)
Applications are invited for the post of **Night Sister.** Modern General Hospital within easy access of Central London. Applications, giving age, particulars of training and subsequent experience, and a Matron's name for reference, to be sent to the Matron, Wembley Hospital, Wembley, Middlesex. (1667)

UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS
THE WOMEN'S HOSPITAL
LIVERPOOL, 8
Two Night Sisters required, S.R.N. Part Midwifery essential.
Apply with full particulars to Matron. (2128)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY
Applications are invited for a post as **Night Sister** at the Osler Hospital and Sanatorium of 93 beds, at which there is a Tubercular Meningitis Unit. Recognised in conjunction with the Peppard Sanatorium training centre for the B.T.A. Certificate. Please apply to Matron, giving two names for reference purposes. (2152)

ST. AUGUSTINE'S HOSPITAL
BARTHAM DOWN, Nr. CANTERBURY
Night Superintendent (Female) required owing to retirement of present Night Superintendent. Wide experience of Mental Nursing. Should preferably have been a Night Sister for at least six months. S.R.N. and M.T. qualifications an advantage.
Applications to Matron. (2339)

LEWIS AND HARRIS HOSPITALS
BOARD OF MANAGEMENT
Applications are invited from qualified Sisters, with Maternity experience, for the posts of (1) **Day Sister,** and (2) **Night Sister,** in a new block of approximately thirteen maternity and twelve General Surgical beds, at the Lewis Hospital, Stornoway.
Applications, giving the names of two referees (or references), should be sent to the undersigned immediately.
IAN MACLEOD,
Secretary.
Lewis Hospital, Stornoway. (2432)

CARDIFF ROYAL INFIRMARY
A new Theatre Unit is shortly to be opened.
Applications are invited for **Two Theatre Sisters** and **Two Staff Nurses.**
Apply to Matron, giving two names for reference. (2263)

HAMPSTEAD GENERAL HOSPITAL
THE GREEN, HAMPSTEAD
LONDON, N.W.3
Nursery Sister required (one of two).
Apply giving age, experience and two names for reference, to the Matron. (2292)

HIGHCROFT HALL HOSPITAL
EDGBASTON, BIRMINGHAM, 23
(Mental—1,200 beds)
Senior Occupational Therapist, Grade 1 required to take charge of expanding and progressive department. Salary £537 x £15 to £582.
Junior Assistant Occupational Therapists. Salary £462 10s. x £15—£537 10s. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council Regulations.
Applications to Medical Superintendent. (2391)

UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS
THE WOMEN'S HOSPITAL
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Northern Ireland Appeal Success

THE nurses of Northern Ireland have over-reached their target of £50,000 needed to ensure a secure financial basis for the work of the Royal College of Nursing in Northern Ireland. On October 20, at the Empire Theatre, Belfast, at the conclusion of a most happy and enjoyable programme recording the progress of the Appeal, H.E. Lady Wakehurst, wife of the Governor of Northern Ireland, and patron and president of the Appeal Council, handed to Miss D. Melville, M.B.E., chairman of the Northern Ireland Committee of the College, a cheque for the magnificent sum raised—a total of £53,602 3s. 10d.

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The occasion was a ceremony at the theatre, kindly lent by the directors, to which members of the public and representatives of all who had helped the Appeal during six long years were invited. Miss Mona Grey, M.B.E., secretary to the Northern Ireland Committee, presented *To Remind You*, a musical presentation of the progress of the Appeal, opened in 1949 under the chairmanship of Mrs. Robert Marshall, to its triumphant conclusion. It was, in fact, a glowing tribute of appreciation and thanks to all the people of Northern Ireland for their unceasing help — thanks which were expressed in the illustrated programme and spoken by Miss Grey before the curtain rose on scenes which will not be forgotten by the nurses or their friends. The audience delighted in the clever reminders of endless sales of work and jumble sales, celebrity concerts and guest teas, whist drives and beetle drives, and each year a musical show written by Miss Grey and presented with the aid of the Belfast Operatic Society and the producer and leading lady Gwen Gracey, who, as Mrs. R. A. Johnston, M.B.E., is a former president of the Belfast Branch.

Present in the audience were the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress of Belfast and among the guests from London were Miss G. M. Godden, O.B.E., president of the Royal College of Nursing, and Mr. A. C. Wood-Smith, secretary of the Royal National Pension Fund for Nurses; with, from Scotland, Miss J. Armstrong, vice-chairman of the Scottish Board of the College and Miss M. D. Stewart, secretary to the Board. At the close of the entertainment the whole cast of players and nurses were joined on the stage by Miss Grey and Mrs. James Mackie, O.B.E., chairman of the Appeal Council, who was herself thanked for her untiring work and enthusiasm and who thanked most warmly Lady Wakehurst for her inspired and inspiring leadership since she had followed the Countess Granville as

Right: *Her Excellency Lady Wakehurst presents the parchment scroll recording the success of the Appeal and the names of the Appeal Council members, to Miss D. Melville for the Royal College in Northern Ireland.*

Left: *in the Royal Box Miss G. M. Godden, Lady Wakehurst and Miss J. d'e Bosdari join in singing Auld Lang Syne.*

Right: *Miss M. Grey, with Mrs. James Mackie, extreme left, and some of the cast, thanking all who had contributed to the success of the Appeal.*

patron of the Appeal. Lady Wakehurst thanked the people of Northern Ireland and said how proud she felt that they had helped to raise this magnificent sum for the Royal College of Nursing. The College meant a great deal both to the individual nurse and to the nursing profession.

After presentations to Her Excellency, Mrs. Mackie and Miss Grey, the cast and audience joined in 'Auld Lang Syne' and, by another miracle of organization, individual trays of tea were brought round to all in the theatre.

In her speech of thanks to those present for their unstinted help and enthusiasm and to the hundreds of other friends and helpers not able to be there on this happy occasion, Miss Grey concluded by saying "May we, as nurses, never fail you."

TO REMIND YOU . . .

October 30 and 31. LONDON. Conference, Ward and Departmental Sisters Section, R.C.N., Cowdray Hall.

October 31. LONDON. Occupational Health Section, R.C.N., Cowdray Hall. Miss M. M. West, deputy editor, *Nursing Times*, will speak on her visit to Canada, 7.30 p.m.

November 1. YORK. Royal Society of Health Meeting; St. William's College, York. *Cancer Education*, by Catherine B. Crane; *Hygiene Of Sports Arenas*, by Norman Hancock, 10.15 a.m.

Topical Notes

Northern Ireland Celebrations

WITH THEIR USUAL WONDERFUL HOSPITALITY the Northern Ireland Committee of the Royal College of Nursing and the Belfast Branch made the weekend one of extreme pleasure to the guests from London and Scotland who had been able to share in the triumphant culmination of the Appeal Fund reported above. The opportunity was taken over the weekend of seeing the lovely countryside, in autumn sunshine, visiting some of the hospitals and joining in an informal dinner party given by the executive committee of the Belfast Branch and, the next day, enjoying an Ulster high tea. The happy conclusion of the Appeal and the friendliness and hospitality shown made the weekend a memorable one. Miss G. M. Godden, president of the College, gave the inaugural address (to be published later), at the course for nurses from mental hospitals which opened at College headquarters in Belfast on the Monday morning.

Public Health Quarterly Meeting

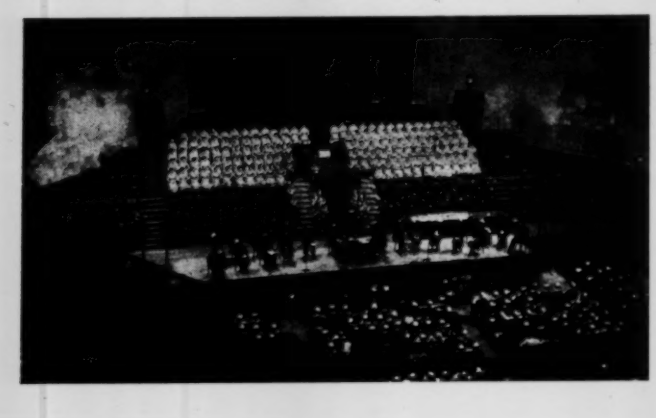
A SWIMMING POOL used as a lecture room is perhaps a little unusual in our profession. The occasion was an open conference, part of the quarterly meeting of the Royal College of Nursing Public Health Section, at the Princess Margaret Rose Hospital for Crippled Children, Edinburgh, on October 20. Mr. Robert I. Stirling, F.R.C.S.E. was talking about 'After-treatment of Poliomyelitis', while several of the young patients of the hospital were proudly demonstrating their skill in the water. Later, on dry land, they showed in striking contrast how the normal pull of gravity restricts their movements. Mr. Stirling emphasized the patients' emotional and physical benefit from the pool and their need for lengthy individual treatment with a highly-skilled physiotherapist. The conference was attended by 100 nurses; the business meeting for members of the Public Health Section had been held at 44 Heriot Row, in the morning, followed by lunch at Mackie's Restaurant in Princes Street.

Public Health Nurse Honoured

MISS EDNA L. MOORE, R.N., director, Division of Public Health Nursing, Department of Health for Ontario, was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws by the University of Western Ontario, London, Canada, at its autumn convocation on October 19 in recognition of the outstanding leadership she has given throughout her career in the development of modern public health. Miss Moore was president of the Ontario Public Health Association during 1953-54. She is known to many nurses in this country who have studied in Canada and is planning a visit to the United Kingdom and Europe next year following her retirement from the Division of Public Health Nursing.

New Teaching Unit, Edinburgh

THE NEW TEACHING UNIT at Edinburgh Royal Infirmary, will be officially opened by the Rt. Hon. the Countess of Wemyss on November 7. The unit is on the first floor of a new building overlooking the Meadows and is part of the extensive rebuilding and renovating plan now being carried out at the hospital. There is a large lecture room, four small study rooms, four offices for sister tutors, cloakrooms for tutors and students, a library and a demonstration room. The lecture room and two study rooms are divided by partitioned walls which can be opened to make a large conference hall. Tutors' offices, the lecture room and the demonstration room are connected by Dictograph;



UNITED SHEFFIELD HOSPITALS SCHOOL OF NURSING PRIZEDAY

An audience of 3,000 watched the Countess Mountbatten of Burma present medals, prizes and certificates to nurses at the City Oval Hall, Sheffield, on September 21. (Report later.)

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windows are large and walls thick enough to exclude noise, all rooms are decorated in fresh contemporary colours and the furniture is a pleasant blend of new and old styles.

PRINCESS MARGARET watches a mother-craft lesson at Tabora, Western Tanganyika, and smiles when the baby tries to eat his soap dish.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL ON TELEVISION

THE first of three B.B.C. programmes to be televised from St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington, appeared on the screen on October 18. The broadcast took the form of a documentary, showing the story of a patient from his first contact with the hospital as a new outpatient to his admission as a case of gastric ulcer and the first visit of the consultant under whose care he had been placed. It was a model of what the hospital service should provide. Presumably the patient came by appointment and as soon as his papers had been made out he was conducted in friendly fashion to the right clinic by the porter and, after a short wait while the previous patient's visit was concluded, was seen in the consulting room, giving his history and being examined. He was given the provisional diagnosis, reassured about the good results of treatment which would probably require admission as an in-patient and directed to the X-ray department to make an appointment for a barium meal. How excellent if all patients in all hospitals had so little time wasted in waiting!

Next the patient was seen in the X-ray department where the radiologist greeted him and explained fully what was required of him; there was some light so that the patient was not left either physically or mentally in the dark. How easy it is for the radiologist to become so used to working in a dim light among complicated apparatus that he forgets how strange it is to the patient entering from a brightly lighted room and not knowing what to expect, where to go or what discomfort he may be subjected to. The X-ray results were shown and the presence of a large ulcer confirmed.

The last scenes showed the nurses arranging the pillows and bedside equipment about a week later and the patient coming to get into bed. Again he was fortunate, for the nurse had only time to make him comfortable and provide him with magazines before the consultant was there drawing up a chair. He examined the patient and explained the treatment and the importance of mental relaxation and the way he took his meals and feeds, in addition to the rest, diet and the medicines he would be given. He assured him that there was every hope that the ulcer would heal with treatment especially if he had no worries about his home and work; he reassured him however that, should this not be so, surgical treatment today, with all the advances of modern methods, gave most satisfactory results in such cases.

It seemed perhaps a little unreal, but to the patient the accent on his privacy and understanding approach to personal problems must have given him confidence at the beginning of his stay in hospital.

This programme could not but reassure viewers should they or their friends and relatives require hospital treatment. The average layman has inherited some of the fears of the older generation to whom hospitals were places to which people went to die rather than to be cured and he has always the natural fears of the unknown. Such programmes by making known the service that a modern hospital can give, and the courtesy and understanding with which it can be given, should help everyone.

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The Local Authority Mental Health Services

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THE work of a local authority in the field of mental health can conveniently be described under three headings, and though this paper deals with only one of them, the preventive aspect, it must be remembered that the other functions are of equal importance.

First, there is the ascertainment of ineducable mental defectives and the supervision of mental defectives outside institutions, of whom there are approximately 55,000 living in the community. The majority of them are high-grade defectives who work and live a normal existence, but because of their defect in intelligence they are more likely than an ordinary person to get into various kinds of social difficulties, so the local authority provides a service to supervise and help these defectives in their homes. For the low grade defectives, occupational centres are provided which aim at teaching them simple skills, not with a view to their ever working or earning a living but rather to keep them occupied and happy while they are there and give their families some respite from the full-time job of caring for a low-grade defective at home.

Secondly, there is a service which is responsible for investigating, and instituting appropriate action under the Lunacy and Mental Treatment Acts, the situation of persons reported to be of unsound mind. This is the work of the duly authorized officer. It is difficult and responsible work, requiring resolution to tackle patients who are sometimes violent and unco-operative, but more generally requiring sympathy and tact both for the patient and relative, for whom the situation can be most distressing. In a city like Birmingham approximately 100 patients are removed under an order to a mental hospital each month, and of these between one-third and one-half are over 60.

Size of the Problem

I now come to the preventive mental health services which are the subject of this paper. Here we are dealing primarily with mental illness rather than mental deficiency, and I would remind you of some facts that will give an idea of the size of the problem.

150,000 patients are in mental hospitals.

40 per cent. of these have been there before and at present there is 16 per cent. overcrowding.

One child in every 19 born will spend some part of his life in a mental hospital, while one in 12 will suffer a nervous breakdown.

Three million people suffer from handicapping neurosis, and psychological maladjustment in adult life is responsible for 30 per cent. of absenteeism.

40 per cent. of all Army discharges during the last war were on psychiatric grounds.

In these circumstances it is not difficult to make out an important case for prevention, which may mean trying to reduce the incidence of mental illness or reducing the relapse rate or lengthening the period of remission. It may also mean preventing some patient from getting so bad as to require hospital treatment.

Mental illness may take many forms and it is generally agreed today that in most cases there is a multiple causation. Among the important causes are:

1. An inherited predisposition.
2. Some emotional disturbance in childhood.
3. A present stress situation.
4. Some physiological factor.

The preventive mental health services of a local health authority are concerned with the emotional problems of childhood and the stress situation in an adult which tends to aggravate and sometimes to precipitate mental illness in a person already predisposed.

The normal maternity and child welfare services of the health department, though primarily concerned with the physical health of mothers and young children, are to-day becoming increasingly aware of their mental health role, which is to try and prevent emotional disturbance by helping mothers with the many problems and difficulties that arise. To mention the commonest, there are the difficulties over feeding, weaning and toilet training, the problem of sibling jealousy, of a child that suffers with night terrors, bed-wetting or temper tantrums.

Parent Guidance Clinic

To help mothers with these difficulties Birmingham has developed a special parent guidance clinic which has the usual child guidance team of psychiatrist, psychologist and psychiatric social worker, and there the most difficult problems of the under-five are referred. In most other areas the child guidance clinic of the education department treats emotionally disturbed children whether of school age or under. There are, however, advantages in having a separate clinic for the under-fives as part of the local health authority's services, because it depends mainly on the health visitors and welfare superintendents for referrals and it can serve as a kind of psychiatric in-service training for health visitors. The psychiatric social worker from the clinic visits all the welfare centres regularly and is available to discuss problem cases which the health visitors bring to her; the health visitors also have easy access to the clinic and from time to time receive lectures and seminars from the clinic staff.

Among the stresses of adult life, overcrowding and inadequate homes are common problems which can affect mental as well as physical health. Sometimes whole families have to live and sleep in one room. This means that the children's sleep is disturbed, there is no privacy, and it is no wonder that nerves and tempers become frayed; all this can have a very disturbing effect on young children. Then there is the problem of sharing a home, often with in-laws, where the friction and conflicting loyalties may undermine the marriage and the mental health of one or both partners.

In Birmingham new tenancies are given under a complicated and very comprehensive points scheme, which includes a certain maximum of points that can be

Abstract of a lecture given at a refresher course for matrons and chief male nurses working in mental or mental deficiency hospitals, at the Royal College of Nursing Education Centre, Birmingham.

awarded on health grounds. The mental health grounds of several hundred families have been investigated during the last few years, and follow-ups of a small number whose rehousing had been very largely due to strong mental health grounds confirm the impression that this can be quite an important preventive mental health service.

Today most large cities and county boroughs are in the early stages of developing their preventive mental health services, so that at the present time there is no uniform pattern in the country as a whole and not all the services that I mention here are available at present in Birmingham.

Mental Health Advice Bureau

Some cities have established a mental health advice bureau. This at first sight may not appear to be of much importance, but there is still a surprising amount of ignorance even among professional people regarding mental illness and the various services which are available to help as well as the provisions of the Lunacy and Mental Treatment Acts. It is surprising how many people think that if they agree to a relative being certified he or she will of necessity be shut away for the rest of their lives. Prejudice and fear make the situation worse. People are ashamed of mental illness and often try to keep the fact hidden. Here the mental health advice bureau can do useful work reassuring many people and advising others of the service most appropriate to their particular problems.

Other authorities have developed clubs for mental patients living in the community. Some may be attending outpatient clinics for treatment, while others discharged from hospital require after-care. One of the commonest difficulties experienced by mental patients is shyness and the difficulty in mixing, particularly with people of the opposite sex. At the same time, like everyone else, they want love and friendship, and feel miserable because they seem powerless to escape from their loneliness. In these clubs they have no need to feel different or inferior because they know that the others are in similar circumstances to themselves. The success of these clubs depends on a wise selection of the people referred and on the availability of trained personnel who have a real flair and enthusiasm for this kind of work.

Sheltered Accommodation

Another need of mental patients which arises from difficulty in mixing and getting on with other people is sheltered accommodation either in selected lodgings or in hostels. These would be of particular help to patients who had responded well to treatment in hospital but had no welcoming home to return to. There are others in the community, some of them epileptics, who have been rejected by their families and who, because of their disability, find it extremely difficult to find sympathetic lodgings, and this is a serious hindrance to their living an independent and self-supporting existence.

Earlier in this paper mention was made of the fact that of all patients admitted to mental hospitals under an order, between one-third and one-half are over 60. In the case of many of these there is no previous history of mental illness and all they are suffering from is the senile dementia of old age. Much has already been written on this subject, and it is understandable that both patients and relatives should feel unhappy that so many have to end their lives as certified patients in mental hospitals. The fact remains however, that these old people are not fit to be left on their own all day and it is doubtful whether any place or institution, no matter what it is called, which is set aside solely for senile patients would be much of an improvement. What is required is a strengthening of the services which help to keep these old people in their homes. Already local health authorities are using special health visitors and home helps for this purpose.

The Day Hospital

Another interesting development is the day hospital. Here it is proposed old people may be cared for during the day, returning home at night to the care of their families. This will take a large part of the load off the family, save hospital beds and keep the old people still at home in the familiar surroundings where they are happiest. Local health authorities would help with transport and liaison between the patient's home and family and the centre. A start on these lines has already been made at a mental hospital in Birmingham.

Arising out of the experience gained in a wartime service designed to help rehabilitate Servicemen who had broken down in the Forces, most local authorities are developing a community and after-care service under Section 28 of the National Health Act. Birmingham, which was one of the first cities to set up a psychiatric social service, now employs three psychiatric social workers and four social workers, and I will now describe the work of this section under the headings After-care, Community Care, and Preventive Work with Problem Families.

After-care

Because of the overcrowding of mental hospitals and because of the high relapse rate, it is important that everything should be done to keep patients out of hospital as long as possible. With a significant number of patients there are difficulties in the home environment which may have played an important part in bringing on the illness and, being still there, may bring about an early relapse—domestic tensions between husband and wife or parent and child, employment difficulties, worry and anxiety over debts or housing, and neighbourhood and social difficulties which tend to make the patient feel an outsider. Other patients, because of their illness, have lost confidence and perhaps now, in addition, feel ashamed because they have been in a mental hospital. In all these cases a trained psychiatric social worker can do a great deal to help the patient keep well and take his or her place once again as a normal citizen in the community.

In Birmingham there is an average of 200 patients each month entering and leaving the four city mental hospitals. Of these the majority are voluntary patients. It is not practical to provide an after-care service for all of them and the chief difficulty lies in the selection of the right cases which will benefit. Here, as everywhere else in the health services, efficiency depends on the co-operation of hospital, general practitioner and local health authority service.

Community Care

The bulk of the cases carried by this section, which is called the Psychiatric Social Service, come under the heading of community care, and here a variety of very different cases are catered for. With some the service required is information rather than treatment, whether medical or social: individuals inquiring about the various kinds of psychiatric treatment available in the city, sometimes for themselves but more often for a relative. Seldom, though, do they require a simple statement of the facts; often they need reassurance and the relief and support that comes from sharing a problem with a sympathetic listener. Others need help to reach a difficult decision, and most

inquiries of this kind will require home visits by the social worker so that a first-hand picture of the patient in his home circumstances can be obtained. Later, many other statutory and voluntary agencies may be approached on behalf of a client to ensure that he gets the help that his situation requires. And so, what started as an inquiry about treatment will develop into a case where many other necessary and relevant social problems are brought to light and a solution found through the mediation of the worker and her liaison with other agencies.

Nor do all these inquiries come direct from the patient or relative. The majority come from other agencies—disablement resettlement officers with the Ministry of Labour who find difficulty in placing psychiatric cases in employment, children's officers who have applications to take children into care because of the medical state of the parents, probation officers whose cases seem to behave in particularly abnormal ways, National Assistance Board officers who wonder whether this or that applicant for assistance is work-shy or ill. Here the psychiatric social worker works as a mental health filter to the other agencies, investigating each case and reporting back to the referring agency. Some of these patients will be taken on for social treatment, some will be referred to other agencies such as training or rehabilitation centres, while yet others will be recommended to a mental hospital or clinic for treatment. In cases where treatment appears to be necessary the worker will discuss this with the patient's general practitioner, and when there is doubt or when some special treatment at a centre outside Birmingham is required, arrangements will be made for the patient to be seen by the consultant psychiatrist of this section.

It may be asked how it comes that this section has a part to play in the normal procedure whereby patients who appear to need specialist treatment are referred by their general practitioner to a clinic or hospital. The fact is that there are quite a few patients who, because of their nervous or mental illness, are afraid of doctors and hospitals and some in addition are afraid to go out except at night. Often these unhappy people remain at home for months and months, bringing in neither sickness nor unemployment benefit, nor even National Assistance allowance. Many patients in these circumstances have been helped by a psychiatric social worker. Sometimes many visits have to be paid to the home before the patient's confidence is won sufficiently to enable him to go out, and that is likely to be only the beginning. Possibly for months, occasionally for years, the process of rehabilitation treatment may go on, and during all this time the worker will play an important part in supporting the patient and his family through the numerous setbacks that may occur.

A Hopeful Outcome

The following example, which is typical of many, will give a better idea of the kind of case work involved. Mr. X is married and has four children. His wife went to the Citizens Advice Bureau, who passed the inquiry on to the psychiatric social service. He was not working, refused to go out or to see his doctor, and because he seemed quiet and different from his old self, she thought that he was suffering from a mental illness. A visit was made. The home was found to be a normal working-class home, reasonably clean and tidy though the furniture was shabby. The patient was at first suspicious and withdrawn, but gradually he thawed and became a little more friendly. He was a man of superior intelligence, who had been quite well until about three years previously. Since that time he appeared to have gone to pieces, changing his jobs every few weeks, losing time when at work, remaining at home in between jobs so that often the family income was reduced to only family allowances. There were a large number of debts, many of them pressing, and the patient had become extremely irritable. He was obviously tense and depressed and he felt guilty because he had let his family down, and he refused to go to his doctor because he felt he would think him a fraud.

After a few visits his confidence was won and, in the meanwhile, the situation had been discussed with his doctor and arrangements made for him to draw National Health Insurance and National Assistance benefit. An appointment had also been made for him to see a psychiatrist and, as a result of this, he was asked to go into hospital voluntarily. He was only prepared to do this, however, if he knew that everything was all right at home, which was threatened not only by debts but by sickness. Eventually, the patient went to hospital where he remained for six months. During this time many visits were paid to the home and many crises dealt with, any of which might have caused the patient to take his discharge. Eventually he returned, obviously much better and full of confidence that from now on all would be well, but within a few weeks there were clear signs that he was relapsing and within two months the possibility of further treatment had to be considered. However, after a few more weeks of frequent visits and much support he began to pick up and he has now worked regularly for a year and the family situation has been transformed.

The worker played an essential role in all three phases of this case—at the initial stage during which rapport was established and the situation diagnosed, during the treatment stage where the wife and family needed much help and support, and during the after-care period. In the 18 months that the case remained open 48 visits were paid to the home.

Problem Families

Preventive work with problem families may at first seem out of place in a local authority mental health service. However, a recent investigation into the intelligence of 100 consecutive neglectful mothers sent under a court order to the Mayflower Training Centre for Neglectful Mothers, found that 4 per cent. were imbeciles, 20 per cent. feeble-minded, and 43 per cent. dull and backward. It would, however, be a mistake to conclude that most problem families are due to mental deficiency. The majority of mental defectives under supervision in the community manage to look after their homes sufficiently well not to be considered in any way as social problems. If extreme immaturity and impulsiveness and failure to learn from experience are symptomatic of psychopathic personalities, then the majority of the fathers of problem families come under this category.

The most important reason, however, for including work with problem families in the mental health service is the fact that, if left unsupported, they are in grave danger of breaking up either through court action on a charge of neglect or through eviction on account of arrears of rent, or because of disruptive forces within themselves, and it is now generally accepted that broken homes which involve separation of young children from their parents can have a damaging effect on the developing personalities of young children.

Problem families are the chronic failures of the normal social services. They have been much worked upon by a host of visitors and welfare officers of a number of services, but their condition remains unsatisfactory and precarious. Their homes are dirty and lacking in many essentials, clothes and bedding are inadequate, children dirty and sometimes verminous, often gas and electricity have been turned off because of unpaid bills and broken meters, there

are numerous debts and the rent many weeks in arrears. The man's employment record in the majority of cases is often extremely bad and over long periods the wife may have to exist on an income which is not only irregular but less than National Assistance. She is probably of well below average intelligence and has to look after a family two or three times as large as the national average in a home overcrowded and lacking in modern conveniences. Not surprisingly her health is poor from malnutrition, insufficient rest, and too frequent confinements. Nor can she expect support from a husband who is too often a liability.

Under such conditions it would be surprising if much affection and respect remained between the parents, and yet, in spite of frequent and sometimes violent quarrels, in most cases neither consistently wants a separation. Under such conditions it is not surprising that the mother's morale sinks to zero, so that she has no heart left to make her home a clean and pleasant place. What is surprising is the fact that, in spite of the appalling superficial appearance which suggests the contrary, the great majority of these parents care for their children in a warm though immature way, and because of this the home is worth preserving and it is right that society should be prepared to go to great lengths to help the parents so that they, in turn, can help themselves and their families.

Reviewing the many and varied services which I have outlined in this paper, some may think that the function of a local health authority mental health service are unimportant and peripheral. To jump to such a conclusion would in my opinion be a mistake, and although the most important advances in the treatment of mental illness are likely to come from further research and new forms of treatment in hospital, at the same time there is little doubt that the services which are designed to get patients out of hospitals as soon as possible and keep them out as long as possible, have a tremendous contribution to make and are likely to receive more and more attention as time goes on.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE AT MUNICH

Industrialization and Social Work

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THREE thousand delegates from 55 countries attended the International Conference of Social Work in Munich from August 5-10. The theme was *Industrialization and Social Work—Industrialization and its effect on Social Work for Family and Community.*

Much preparatory work had been done by those responsible for organizing the conference, but the major burden had been shouldered by the German National Committee. One was impressed and appreciative of the careful thought and attention to detail, by the presence of numerous English- and French-speaking 'guides' and by the large number of friendly helpers.

Nearly 40 countries had submitted national reports to the conference committee. Dr. Heinrich Braun had prepared a summary of the development of social policy in Germany and the effects of industrial development. A copy of the monograph, printed in three languages, was given to every delegate.

The conference headquarters were in the new Ausstellungspark (exhibition grounds). Here were large halls, offices, exhibitions of books, photographs and other material, a post office, bank, coffee stalls and restaurant and many other amenities.

Meetings of the conference fell into three main groups: three plenary sessions, open to all delegates; four commissions consisting of specially appointed experts, and 20 study groups open to all delegates. In addition visits to institutions of various kinds had been arranged, film shows in three languages were available and a number of specialist meetings and social events had been organized.

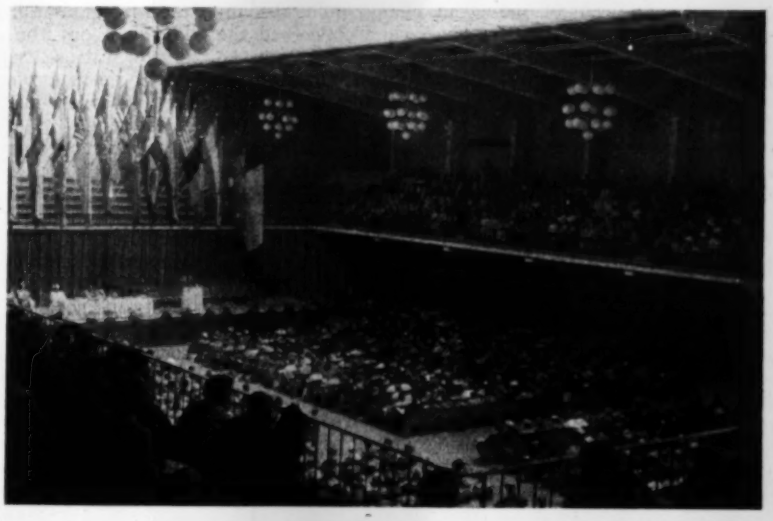
Every day an information bulletin was available in three languages for every delegate. This gave notice of additional arrangements, alterations, special meetings and general information. Each day, summaries of the previous day's addresses were available in three languages. A final masterpiece was the preparation and distribution of the findings of the 20 study groups, written in three languages.

During the three plenary sessions six reports were presented as follows.

1. Impact of industrialization on mental attitudes, on ways of life and on the life of the family:

(*a*) in communities highly industrialized over a long period (report given by Professor R. M. Titmuss, Great Britain);

(*b*) in recently industrialized communities (report



Right: *the scene in the Congress Hall in the Ausstellungspark, Munich.*

given by Miss J. Henderson, United Nations).
2. Social work and industrialization:
(*a*) new tasks in relation to industrial and family life (report given by Father G. H. Levesque, Canada);
(*b*) new tasks in the developing structures of community life (report given by Mrs. Hansa Mehta, India).
3. The distribution of social responsibility:
(*a*) how to preserve the right balance between the responsibilities of industry, state and voluntary agencies (report given by Professor Hans Muthesius, Germany);
(*b*) the role of social work in plans for industrial development (report given by Mr. Charles I. Schottland, U.S.A.).

Industrialization and the Family

One of the most outstanding reports was undoubtedly that of Professor Titmuss. He said that the world of today was increasingly an industrial world and dominated in its values and goals by problems of economic growth. Economic growth spelled a higher material standard of life. Industrialization as a means of raising the level of living was thus something to be desired. The fact that a substantial part of mankind, compared with only an insignificant fraction at the beginning of the century, was aware or was becoming aware of the benefits of industrialization was one of the most important facts in the contemporary social scene when looked at in international terms.

We were witnessing on a wider scale than ever before a demand for change, the motive force for which lay in the idea of progress, material progress, the idea that ruled the life of Britain in the 19th century.

Professor Titmuss went on to say that social work was, first and foremost, an activity carried on in industrial, urban societies. The problem of human needs and relationships with which social work had traditionally been associated had had, in scale and concentration, their origin in those societies experiencing the impact of industrialization. Looking to the future, and to an increasingly industrialized world, more social workers would be needed along with a greater investment in those social resources without which social work could not effectively fulfil its ethical responsibilities.

Professor Titmuss said that while he did not intend to discuss the more material environmental aspects of industrial change in relation to family life, he did wish to comment on two related factors. One concerned the rate (or speed) of industrial change and the intensity of the demand for it; the second concerned the distinction between the long-term as compared with the immediate or short-term effects of industrialization, as they had been experienced in Western societies. Both factors seemed to be highly relevant in any consideration of the life-cycle of the family, particularly in those societies now starting out on the road to industrialization. If the desire for change was widespread and intense and if there were possibilities of rapid industrial development, then it was likely that the family problems arising from change would be obscured by the prospects and promises of a rising standard of living. The social costs of economic advance might thus be pushed out of sight by the strength of the collective motive for an improvement in the material fabric of life.

Much depended on the pace of change. There were limits, particularly in relation to child-rearing practices and family adjustment, to the speed at which social change could take place without causing grave psychological problems. If those who were first subjected to industrial change had a stable childhood, spent within a coherent, meaningful social order, then they might be able psychologically to withstand the pressures of change. It would be their children and grandchildren who might be more likely to show the full psychological effects of the long-drawn-out processes of industrializing society.

The Price of Economic Growth

In such ways as these the long-term and more subtle psychological effects of industrialization were worked out in the family. They were part of the price of economic growth, a price that was not paid by those who benefited most in material terms from increased production, and a price which was not revealed until several generations later.

Professor Titmuss went on to say that viewed in terms of the long cycle of family life, the violent industrial upheavals of the 19th century, the poverty, the unemployment, the social indiscipline, the authoritarianism of men and the cruelties to children were by no means as remote today in their consequences as some historians and economists would have us believe.

He referred to thefore going as effects of the first industrial revolution and said he wished to consider next some of the effects of the second industrial revolution. The first was marked by the triumph of the steam engine, of coal and iron, and by the shifting of production from the home to the factory. The second has been distinguished by an immense and varied spread of production techniques dominated by the invasion of the factory by electric power. Work had increasingly been split into smaller sub-divided tasks by the demands of standardized mass production; human labour itself had come to be increasingly ruled by the clock, by the precision of the assembly line, the conveyor belt and automation. The need for manual strength and long hours of work had been reduced by the development of mechanized processes in which the machine tended to regulate and control the work. This process of technological change, in itself a major factor in raising the standard of living of the worker, had been aptly described by Friedmann as making industrial man an *object* of nationalized production. The degradation of the worker, bereft of personality and of his roles as husband, father and citizen, found unconscious expression in the idea of 'scientific management'.

Focus on the Manual Worker

Much had been written of the effects on the family of the first industrial revolution in the west, much less was known about the more subtle social and psychological effects of the second industrial revolution, yet these effects might be as profound in their own way as the more obvious consequences of the shift from domestic to factory production.

The movement of ideas since the 1930's had led to many studies of the worker within the social system of the factory. One weakness, however, of most of these studies (like the famous Hawthorne inquiry) was that while taking account of the realities of life within the workplace they ignored the realities outside. In none of the indexes of such studies consulted did 'family' appear. Industrial psychologists and sociologists seemed to observe only a part, and a steadily smaller part, of man's life in highly industrialized societies. The studies were also focused primarily on the manual worker. The effects of industrialization on the white-collar worker and middle classes were no less important, but required separate discussion.

Professor Titmuss said that he had been particularly struck by differences in the norms of behaviour expected of the worker in the factory and of the same worker

Right: *simultaneous translation during the conference overcame the barrier of language.*

(though in other of his roles as husband and father) in his home and in the community. Many of them seemed to be fundamentally in conflict—for example, a 'good parent' was one who, by taking deliberate thought for tomorrow, provided a stable background and a regular coherent rhythm in which his children could grow and mature as 'successful' individuals. He was expected to plan for their future, to contrive a stable, economically secure base from which they could climb. For the manual worker in the factory, however, the concept of stability was not an important attribute to the system, theoretically or in practice. The dominating characteristic of industrial conditions in the west during the last few decades had been, from the viewpoint of the worker, its irregularity and impermanence. Unemployment, short-time working, redundancies had all spelt irregularity and uncertainty. Allied to this was the irregularity and uncertainty of status and skill. Old skills were being down-graded, divided or made redundant. Loss of status signified more than loss of rewards, more than loss of respect. It could be a serious injury to the personality.

The industrial worker's status was more likely to be an ascribed or assigned one than that of the middle-class worker's which was an achieved or promoted one. The first tended to decline or remain static with advancing age; the second tended to rise, with incremental rewards, to higher levels of accorded respect. Thus security for the manual worker declined as he grew older (particularly as he could no longer look to a large family for support) whereas for the middle-class worker it increased, yet both workers, as husbands and fathers, were subject to the same expected norms of behaviour in society. Both were expected to have the same status relationships and to play the same roles in their own families. There was here a fundamental conflict in values, the dimensions and consequences of which could not yet be seen.

The need for secure status, for continuing respect by others, increased as the cruder necessities of material existence were met. To win a bare level of subsistence was no longer a sufficient reason to be accorded respect by one's fellows and by one's wife and children. The need for the status became more of a family need as the idea of partnership in marriage grew, and as increasing emphasis was given to the rearing of children as 'successful' personalities.

'Dis-initiative'

Professor Titmuss then said that another major characteristic of industrial techniques in relation to the goals of workers and its effect on family life was, briefly, that the progressive substitution of work regulated from the outside for work more or less freely shaped by the worker himself was one of the chief characteristics of contemporary industrial evolution. Where the worker was dominated by the machine, by work schedules, by time-study checkers, by pace-setters, by the clock, it could all signify submission, dependence, 'dis-initiative'; judgement, selection, initiative, the ingredients of skill, the basis of self-respect, were not called into being.

How did the worker react to these effects of modern industrial techniques and to the apparent conflict in values and norms of behaviour? If workers did not respect themselves and did not feel that they were being accorded respect by their fellows in the factory, might they not tend to feel that they were not fulfilling satisfactorily, in the eyes of their wives and children, their roles as husbands and fathers?

In the eyes of the farm worker's child and the child in many middle-class and professional homes, father played a comprehended and admired role in his work. What of the child of the industrial worker on the assembly line, who had little conception of his place in the scheme of things? Consider the effects on the wife, would she not be affected by his sense of failure, his feelings of frustration, by the irregularities of his rewards and status and by the unlikelihood of his advancing as they grew older?

Family and Community Problem

Insofar as modern industrial techniques led to feelings of personal dissatisfaction, to a dispossession of personality, the problem thus became a family and community problem. If relief and compensation could not be found at work, then the worker's home life was likely to be influenced and changed in many subtle ways. Insofar as he turned to his home as an outlet it was arguable that two different and opposed patterns of behaviour might develop. One might take the form of submissiveness, the culture of the factory. Or he might react in an authoritarian and punishing way to the domination of the machine by attempting to dominate others. Or he might genuinely find new sources of satisfaction in his own home, in the running of his home and in the business of family life.

Professor Titmuss said in conclusion that he did not believe that the problem of human relations in industry "can be entirely solved within industry itself. It cannot be solved by tying closer the bonds between employer and employee, through the provision of miniature and occupational welfare states. Nor can contemporary problems of family life be entirely solved within the family itself. The family does not function in a social vacuum." How it functioned was profoundly affected by the forces of industrialization. Its responsibilities had grown, it had been placed in more situations of divided loyalties and conflicting values; it had been constantly subjected to the gales of creative instability. It was in this context that the social services had to be seen in a variety of stabilizing, preventive and protective roles. Interpreted in this way, and not as the modern equivalent of Bismarkian benevolence, the social services became an ally, and not an enemy, of industrial and technological progress.

To reformulate the philosophy of social policy and to rescue it from its present inhibitions derived from a

welfare state ideology was one of the major tasks of the second half of the 20th century.

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Excellent addresses were also given by the other speakers, some being in the nature of surveys and factual reports. Simultaneous translation into English, French and German was available.

The Work of the Commissions

The four commissions, composed of specially appointed experts from a number of countries, studied the following questions.

1. How less developed countries can benefit from the experience of countries highly industrialized over a long period.
2. The impact of industrialization on urban and rural life; how to confront the outstanding problems which arise, for example through overcrowding in urban areas.
3. The protection of family life within an industrial society.
4. The role of social work in schemes for social security.

Masterly summaries of the work of the commissions were presented on the last day of the conference.

Commission 1 believed that the main lesson to be learnt from the west was the need for co-ordinated socio-economic planning. The under-developed countries had the complication of foreign investment. The commission felt that social provision tended to lag behind economic development and that this would be very serious if it occurred in the under-developed countries.

It was believed that it was urgent to educate workers for the special needs of the countries in which they were to work.

Commission 2 felt that new agencies must be created to meet new needs as they arose from the effects of industrialization. It was suggested that orientation to social welfare should be included in courses for administration and that social work schools should also train for social leadership.

The commission put forward two recommendations—one calling on the United Nations to undertake studies and research with regard to the allocation of national income; the other urging national committees of the International Conference of Social Work to press their governments to support ECOSOC and for the establishment of special funds.

Commission 3—no new or special points raised.

Commission 4 felt that the concept of social security must not be limited to some stratas of society only. It was found impossible to generalize about establishing priorities in the development of social security schemes—for example adequate income, health and housing were so closely related. Each individual country must decide its priorities in respect of individual needs. The commission felt that the specialist social worker should be used as a consultant; that all services and personnel should be fully used—other professions must be called upon, but these professions should have an orientation to social work.

It was suggested that the role of social work was:
to understand how to help individuals to use available resources;
to understand attitudes of human beings; and
to be able to work with families and groups.

It is not possible here to enlarge on the many other conference activities—the reception given by the Bavarian State Government at Schloss Schleissheim; the 'Bavarian Night' arranged by the City of Munich; the visits to hospitals and other social institutions; the meetings of national and international groups and the general busyness each day.

Over and above all the addresses and formal discussions one realized how invaluable is the opportunity given by such conferences of meeting social workers from other countries and, indeed, from one's own.

It is of the greatest importance that representatives of the nursing profession should participate in conferences of allied professions as much as possible. Social workers and public health nurses in particular should keep *au fait* with each other's plans and with developments in the social scene.

[A report of the study groups and the study tour by Miss H. M. Simpson will appear in the *Journal for Industrial Nurses*.]

THE NAME IS THE THING

by E. DORAN, S.R.N., S.C.M. H.V.CERT.

THE recommendation of the British Medical Association's Annual Representative Conference at Brighton that a health *visitor* should be called a health *nurse* requires attention. Why should a representative meeting of members of the medical profession approve such a suggestion? Could it be that the medical profession which has had to comprehend so much that is new within its own bounds has not yet been able to adapt itself to and accept change and growth in an allied profession which must bring about changing relationships between the two?

The doctor brought up in the traditional school feels at home and supported by a nurse. Has he not worked with nurses as subordinates for seven or more years, nurses in hospital who carried out the doctor's orders without question, nurses on the district who were prepared to co-operate with him in the care of the patient on the same terms as the hospital nurses? These nurses who accepted the doctor's verdict on the patient's care as the last word not only helped him to look after his patients but also added to his self-confidence. They were competent and caring and skilful yet their dependence on medical direction was absolute. A doctor working with such handmaidens was bound to get a certain amount of reassurance of his own worth by the contact.

But this other colleague, this health visitor, where did she come in? A doctor shouldering the heavy responsibilities of general practice could not be immediately ready to discuss the care of his patients with and even to accept advice as to their social needs from a medico-social worker. Social workers had their place in hospital but, again, that place was clearly understood. The use of the old word 'almoner' was continued into the present time because it was a title that gave some clue to their function.

The almoner had no connection with either the diagnosis and treatment of disease or with the nursing care of the patient. This health visitor was a fully-qualified nurse and she had had a special training in public health. It was difficult for any doctor to know just how to place her. There might be a danger that she would come between a doctor and his patient in a way that a nurse would not. Would it not be much better to have a woman worker, whose basic qualification for her job was her training as a State-registered nurse, called a nurse so that the doctor-nurse relationship could go on undisturbed? With a health nurse or a public health nurse at call a doctor would not feel the same anxiety that a health visitor—whose title implied special qualifications—tended to arouse.

That wish on the part of the doctors to change the name 'health visitor' to some other in which the word 'nurse' would come, must surely arise from considerations such as these. The actual achievements of health visitors since they were first appointed under the direction of a medical officer of health in 1890 are told in all tables of vital statistics published since 1900 and are surely known to all doctors. The desire of the doctors to have a health visitor called a nurse could not be really due to an underestimation of a health visitor's work.

There are considerations, however, which make the relationship between doctor and health visitor at the present time open to misunderstanding. To begin with it was not until 1928 that health visiting became firmly recognized through statutory regulation as a branch of nursing. Possibly the general practitioners between 1890 and 1930 accepted the visitor who called to advise the expectant and nursing mother without question. She was just a specialist in infant feeding attached to the local authority's child welfare centre and did not really interfere with, or even meet the doctor much. Whether or not she was a nurse was a question which did not arise. There were many unqualified health visitors appointed after 1928 and indeed it was not until the Public Health Section of the Royal College of Nursing and the Women Public Health Officer's Association established a joint working party to consider the duties of the health visitor in the National Health Service that there was a general acceptance of nurse training as a basic qualification. Here there arose the first difficulty: the health visitor was a nurse and yet was outside any doctor-nurse relationship with the general practitioners in the domiciliary field.

Health Visitor's New Role

The lack of a common relationship did not become noticeable, however, while the health visitor's function was still restricted to the advice and care of the mother and the child. It was not until after the war, in 1945, when statistics began to show that the health visitor had possibly worked herself out of her original job, and when post-war conditions brought to light the many maladjustments with which she could help, and the need for suitable workers to give positive health teaching, that her work widened to bring her into touch with the members of all families in her district. Then the general practitioner began to hear more about the health visitor and to wonder what she was doing visiting the homes in his district and giving advice on health matters to his patients. Times of actual meeting and discussion were infrequent and much damage could be done to understanding and good relationship, however unwittingly, by the spoken word of a third party.

Recognition of a medico-social worker as a family visitor has caused more attention to be directed at the working relationship between such an all-purpose family visitor and the family doctor. The Working Party Report on Health Visiting (paragraphs 317-318) makes it clear that the health visitor, while she will base her work on the advice of medical and social experts, should exercise her own judgement in applying it to her work with families. In this, there is not that familiar doctor-nurse relationship to which the general practitioner has been accustomed when being assisted by other nurses in the care of his patients. "She (the health visitor) will accept the clinical judgement of the doctor in charge of a case but it will be for her to decide how to adapt and time her health education to meet his clinical requirements and to recommend what social action may be desirable . . . She is qualified to be an adviser . . . and to provide information on physical, social or psychological matters on which clinical judgements can be confidently based."

This half-way position of the health visitor between the specialized social worker and the doctor is difficult for the doctor to understand and where there is lack of understanding there is inevitably suspicion and with suspicion there comes hostility and an urge to belittle the worker. Gradually, as doctor and health visitor develop their services to each other and by co-operation endeavour to ensure a comprehensive health service for the families in the district, a better understanding by the doctor of the health visitor's function will develop,

An Experiment in Belfast

Just outside Belfast an experiment is being tested in the practice of one general practitioner. For a time a trained social worker who had been working on research in the Department of Social Medicine was seconded to a general practitioner with a rural practice of about 2,000. At the end of six months the social worker was withdrawn and on the recommendation of the professor of social medicine to the county medical officer her services to the general practitioner were replaced by those of the health visitor who was already working in the area. The health visitor and doctor meet once each week. The doctor and the social worker had found that in the rather small practice there were few cases referred requiring only social investigation and social rehabilitation but in working with the health visitor the doctor has found that many a matter can be discussed involving medical as well as social conditions.

Extension of co-operation on such lines as this is bound to bring about better understanding. The modern doctor-nurse concept can no longer be one of subordination but one of mutual respect and close co-operation and on this platform the relationship of doctor and health visitor is being built.

The nursing profession too requires to reassess the value of the health visitor to the profession. It was fortunate for nursing that the health visitor was retained within the fold—she might quite easily have joined the ranks of social workers outside the profession had it not been for the leadership which obtained acceptance of State registration as a nurse as the basic qualification for health visitors in 1928.

Just as in her daily work the health visitor brings about a co-ordination of the health and social services so, at a level where policies are developed, the health visitor within the nursing profession can facilitate contacts with other professions concerned with the provision of health and social services to the community. The nursing profession needs the health visitor. Statutory safeguards of her title have not been lightly won and the profession can have little sympathy with the recommendation passed by the British Medical Association's Annual Representative Conference that the name should be changed.

THE LONDON HOSPITAL

Portrait of a Hospital in its Third Century

Above: *1875. The London Hospital in its late Victorian setting.*

AN historical word-portrait of The London Hospital, soon to celebrate the bicentenary of its Royal Charter of Incorporation (1757), has been written by Robert Sinclair and has just been published*. Since its humble beginning in a house bought for 100 guineas and staffed by a married couple for £20 a year, this famous hospital has trained some of the most brilliant and distinguished men and women in medicine and nursing.

Eva Luckes, appointed matron in 1880 at the age of 24, had at first to choose her nursing staff from the "cleaner and more sober" of a crowd of women at the hospital door who " hoped to earn a shilling or two by a night's 'nursing'." She introduced a two - year training course and fought the authorities continually for better conditions for her nurses. To make nursing respectable, stern ideas of service and sacrifice had to be implemented, and as one of her nurses said of her, she " thought it was quite an unforgiveable sin for a nurse to marry ". A reflection of the combination of traditional ideas of service and modern ideas of nursing life is seen in that today second and third generation students — daughters and granddaughters of 'Londoners'—are training at the hospital

**Copies obtainable from the House Governor, The London Hospital, Whitechapel, London, E.1, 2s. each.*

Above: *1876. A visit by Her Majesty Queen Victoria.*

Left: *1951. In one of the children's wards.*

Below: *a view of the Talbot ward as it was 50 years ago.*

Right: *The London Hospital today.*

and the wastage during training is well below half the average for the whole country.

The great number of people associated with the London Hospital will treasure this little book which, while recounting the hospital's structural growth, retains a theme throughout that "the vital force which keeps a hospital going is neither a set of rules nor a stock of equipment but the climate of thought of the men and women who are working in it; nowhere is personality more important."

Book Reviews

Foundations of Nutrition

(*fifth edition*).—by Clara Mae Taylor, PH.D., Grace Macleod, PH.D., and the late Mary Swartz Rose, PH.D. (*The Macmillan Company, New York: London Branch, 10, South Audley Street, London, W.1, 42s.*)

The fifth edition of this excellent book has been written by three American nutritionists who have set out to describe the fundamental principles of human nutrition, from basal metabolism to the more practical study of constructing adequate diets for all members of the family at a reasonable cost. In the historical introduction a most interesting account is given of the early work carried out by such famous chemists as R. Boyle, J. Priestley and Antoine Lavoisier in their endeavours to establish the relationship of nutrition with basal metabolism. This is followed by photographic illustrations of modern equipment and methods employed to assess the basal metabolism in hospital.

Readers will find the details of these procedures very instructive; more especially when we learn that as a result of these investigations diet in disease has been completely revolutionized. Some readers may remember the old adage to 'starve a fever' and in consequence we also remember the weak, emaciated bodies of patients with typhoid fever. Today a nourishing and adequate diet is given to all patients suffering from febrile conditions and the weight loss is very small; weight may even increase in some cases of long-standing illness.

A good team spirit is shown by the authors' admiration of nursing skill in the following extract from the book: "It is perfectly extraordinary how much food can be given to fever patients by a good nurse, she studies the likes and dislikes of the individual patient, she seizes opportunities at night to feed the patient and above all she uses tact to achieve an adequate intake of food."

The estimation of human energy required to perform certain activities can be seen by a glance at the tables.

The discussion upon the causes and treatment of obesity is sound and practical; emphasis is placed on the fact that we inherit our bodily framework, but not our body weight. This is under our own control and obesity can be treated by a carefully planned diet.

Water constitutes two-thirds of the adult body weight, therefore the foundation of water in maintaining health is fully explained, and for those who would like to know whether drinking with meals is harmful to good digestion, the following extract will help to dispel any doubts: "The average drinking of water with meals will promote the secretion and activity of the gastric juices and the digestion and absorption of food."

The minerals and vitamins required in a normal diet are all well illustrated and many photographs are given of laboratory animals, in whom deficiency diseases have been produced for experimental purposes. The value of fresh fruit and vegetables in the daily menu is particularly emphasized.

The grouping together of all the protein foods as possessing common properties essential to good health is a new and more simple way of teaching nutrition than many other methods, as is also the explanation of the place that fats and sugars occupy in our daily diet.

The last section of the book gives a detailed account of the nutritional requirements of people in all age groups, which are now, of course, universally accepted figures. An appendix contains a wide range of weight tables and dietary allowances.

I feel that here is a book which will contribute a wealth of up-to-date information to students of nutrition in all English-speaking countries.

F. D., S.R.N., S.C.M., DIP. IN DIETETICS.

Public Social Services

Handbook of Information (*10th edition*).—*The National Council of Social Service, 26, Bedford Square, London, W.C.1, 10s. 6d.*)

This 10th edition of *Public Social Services* should be a very useful textbook for those engaged in any branch of the health or welfare services. There has been a complete social revolution since 1917, when the first edition came out, both in the scope of public welfare and in its administration, and a great deal of development since the ninth edition in 1951.

This book brings law and custom completely up to date. It begins with a history of the evolution of the public social services. It is difficult to realize that in 1888 the revenue and expenditure of local authorities was only £45,000,000 and that of the central government £1,000,000, but in 1952 it had grown to £992,000,000 by

the local authorities and £560,000,000 by the central government, which is itself an indication of how the scope of the services covered by this book has enlarged.

The public social services of our welfare state cover every side of life. The book details the duty of the State and its obligations in each of the different services—health, education, housing, etc.—and all the factual information as to which section is responsible for any given need and how to obtain the source required.

The book is excellently paragraphed as to subject matter, and if the index, which was not contained in the proof reviewed, is a good one, it should be possible to turn up anything with the utmost ease. A great deal of the information in the book can be found in other handbooks, but it is certainly easy to find in the way this one is arranged, from actual welfare rights to availability of libraries, museums, music, entertainments or information services.

E.M.M.Z., M.A., A.M.I.A.

Scientific Film Review

Vol. 2, No. 1, April 1956. (Scientific Film Association, 164, Shaftesbury Avenue, London, W.C.2, 3s. 6d.)

Members of the nursing profession may or may not be familiar with the work of the Scientific Film Association whose journal is the *Scientific Film Review*, issued six times in the year. Briefly, " the Association exists to study, discuss, publicize and advocate the use of scientific and industrial films ". Medical films will, naturally, be included in the former group.

The April number of the *Scientific Film Review* announces a new publication policy which will give readers information of the activities of the Association, and of developments in both the production and application of scientific and industrial films. Its contents cover a wide field: there are reports of three addresses, one relating to industrial film-making, a second to the use of films in medical illustration, and yet another on photography in physics and underwater research.

Besides information on the current activity of the Association there is a section of reviews and appraisals of 32 films, the majority of them relating to medicine, public health and social welfare.

Finally there is a list of medical films 1954-1955, which brings up to date the information contained in the Scientific Film Association Catalogue of Medical Films, and also a key to distributors of medical films.

The editorial informs readers that three of the six annual publications will be similar to the April issue; the remaining three will deal with films on specific subjects.

Films have a definite place in our nursing schools and tutors will find much of help in this publication in selecting visual aids to supplement other methods of teaching.

H. A. C. B., S.R.N., S.C.M., D.N.(LOND.)

The Hand of the Potter

—The exp riences of Nel and Peter Motte *whose baby was born a Mongoloid. (Cassell and Company Limited, 37-38, St. Andrews Hill, Queen Victoria Street, London, E.C.4, 8s. 6d.)*

This interesting book will certainly gain the reader's sympathy for the authors—two intelligent, devoted parents whose first and only child (Richard) was a Mongolian imbecile.

The book was primarily written " in the hope that others, similarly placed, may derive some help from the authors' experience, some comfort from the knowledge that the problems are shared ". And this is probably where the book fails. While the reader will have every sympathy with Mrs. Motte and her husband, the impression gained is that the situation is over-dramatized, and that there is a little too much self-pity. Parents at present coping adequately with similar problems, and often with children who are as troublesome at night as during the day (Richard only gave his parents one wakeful night in several years) might likewise be tempted to indulge in self-pity. The book rather suggests that the only satisfactory care eventually for these children is that of the mental defective hospital. No love and care for these poor unfortunates can ever replace that of their parents, and it would be tragic if any parents caring satisfactorily for a mentally defective child, might, after reading this book, be persuaded to send the child to hospital.

The real value of this little book, of this touching story told alternately by the mother and father, is the insight it gives into the parents' emotional reactions, and the difficulties which they experience in solving problems and reaching decisions concerning their child. This is a book which every nurse working in the mental deficiency field would do well to read. It would certainly help her or him in the difficult task of trying to give comfort and reassurance to parents of mentally defective children, and to view the problems and anxieties of these parents with more sympathy and understanding.

E. M. C., S.R.N., R.N.M.D., S.T.DIP.

Diagnosis and Treatment of Diseases in the Tropics

(third edition).—by H. C. Trowell, O.B.E., M.D., F.R.C.P., *(Baillière, Tindall and Cox, Limited, 7 and 8, Henrietta Street, London, W.C.2, 12s. 6d.)*

This book is one of Ballière's series of elementary tropical handbooks for the use of students in tropical and subtropical countries. The author in his preface to this third edition says: "the work of diagnosis and treatment must often be undertaken by those who have not had the full training of a doctor, be it nurse, dresser or any willing and intelligent person. It is for these that this volume is intended and the fact that three editions have been published over the past 16 years indicates that it fulfills a need."

Much revision has been necessary since the last edition in 1945. There are completely new sections on children's diseases, on drugs and prescriptions and on poisons, and in all sections treatment has been brought up to date. Many useful diagrams and simple illustrations help to explain the text and assist the diagnosis.

This book is admirable for its purpose. Descriptions and instructions are simply and clearly given and cover practically any condition likely to be encountered in tropical or subtropical countries.

E. A. G., M.D., M.R.C.P.

Books Received

Aids to Nursing of Venereal Diseases (second edition).—*by E. M. Ryle-Horwood, S.R.N., with foreword by J. R. Crumbie, F.R.C.S. (Baillière, Tindall and Cox, 8s. 6d.)*

Human Anatomy and Physiology (fourth edition).—*by Nellie D. Millard, R.N., M.A., Barry G. King, Ph.D., and Mary Jane Showers, R.N., M.S. (W. B. Saunders Co., 35s.)*

Feeding in Infancy and Early Childhood.—*by Ursula James, M.R.C.P. (Faber and Faber Ltd., 10s. 6d.)*

Fundamentals of Nursing.—*by Elinor V. Fuerst, R.N., M.A., and Lu Verne Wolff, R.N., M.A. (J. B. Lippincott Co., 40s.)*

Teaching Fundamentals of Nursing: Method, Content and Evaluation.—*by Elinor Fuerst, R.N., M.A., and Lu Verne Wolff, R.N., M.A. (J. B. Lippincott Co., 16s.)*

Pattern for the Listening Eye, for teachers of lip reading—*by Dorothy G. Clegg. (National Institute for the Deaf, 6s.)*

SETTING UP A TUBERCULOSIS CARE COMMITTEE IN ABERDEEN

by M. MONICA BYRNE, S.R.N., H.V.CERT., H.V.TUTOR CERT.,
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TO some readers it may seem surprising that until 1955 Aberdeen, despite its position as the third largest city of Scotland, its good record in the field of local authority services, and its possession of more than the average number of voluntary associations, had no tuberculosis care committee. In Scotland, however, there is no tradition of care committees for the tuberculous, and indeed Aberdeen set up the third such committee in the country.

Tuberculosis is a numerically smaller problem in the North East of Scotland than in some parts of the country. Nevertheless, in 1954, 228 new cases were notified, and in 1955 the figure was 204, and in all there are at present in this city of 186,000 inhabitants some 1,890 known cases of tuberculosis.

The First Steps

The need for a care committee having been appreciated by those working in the field of tuberculosis (both local authority and regional hospital board), informal discussions were held between representatives of the British Red Cross Society, the regional hospital board, and the public health department. The British Red Cross had long had a very active and practical interest in the welfare of the tuberculous in Scotland and, indeed, ran the two very well equipped and efficient Deeside sanatoria until 1955, so any discussion of this kind was well within their competence.

The result of this informal meeting was a decision to set up a care committee, and invite representatives from every organization in the town.

To develop and stimulate public interest an article was published in the local daily papers by the medical officer of health, Dr. I. A. G. MacQueen, and the chest physician, Dr. Douglas Bell. The article was entitled 'Close the Gap in the North East Fight with Tuberculosis', and was set out with an attractive photograph of a handsome man being X-rayed by the photogenic radiographer of the local mass miniature radiography unit. The services available to the tuberculous were fully described: the responsibilities of the local authority for prevention by means of health education, the abatement of overcrowding, BCG immunization, and the supervision of milk supplies; the facilities offered by the regional hospital board for clinical, radiological, and bacteriological examination; the work of the local authority in contact tracing and so on. The financial picture was fully drawn: free hospital treatment; free medical and nursing care at home; the special allowances from the National Assistance Board; the help offered by the Ministry of Labour in resettlement, and the powers of the local authority to help by lending nursing equipment and bedding and by supplying extra nourishment.

The article went on to point out that superficially the service appeared reasonably comprehensive, with no gaps for voluntary help to fill except perhaps to provide luxuries; but that in reality there were many such gaps. The sort of practical examples quoted included families needing help with removal and furnishing expenses on being rehoused, with hire purchase commitments, deferred payments to debtors on being approached by a recognized body, help with holidays, and the friendly visits offered by such a committee.

The joint authors were well known both to the public, and to the editor of the paper who gave his support very readily, and the article was timed to appear just before the calling of the inaugural meeting.

The medical officer of health and the senior chest consultant undertook to send out letters of invitation to this meeting to all organizations in the city likely to be interested. These included such bodies as the Women's Voluntary Services, the Rotary Club, the Round Table, business and professional men's and women's clubs, the Soroptimists, the Federation of University Women, the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the Townswomen's Guild and so on. Also invited to attend the inaugural meeting were representatives from the Scottish Office of the National Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis. These were the secretary, Miss Hume, Dr. Murray from East Fortune Hospital, who had pioneered in this field in Scotland by setting up the first care committee in his own area, and Mrs. J. F. Wilson, a social worker who had just completed a piece of research into the problems of the tuberculous in the Edinburgh area.

Formation of the Committee

At this stage the draft constitution was prepared by the medical officer of health, modelled on the suggested constitution of the National Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis but with a slightly strengthened local authority representation. Under this constitution the objects were the prevention of tuberculosis and the continuous care of tuberculous patients and their families. In such care the committee's practice would be to attempt to provide complete medical and social rehabilitation rather than mere temporary relief. The committee would aim at being a centre of public enlightenment on the control of tuberculosis and would be empowered to collaborate with the research and education work of the National Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.

The voluntary nature of the committee was emphasized, and membership was open to all interested persons. The medical officer of health, the chest physician, and any almoner, social welfare worker or health visitor devoting the greater part of her time to tuberculosis in the city, were *ex officio* members of the committee. The officers were to be a president, such vice-presidents as the executive committee might determine, and a secretary and treasurer elected annually. The executive committee was to consist of the officers, six ordinary members elected by the annual general meeting, the chest physician and a person nominated by him, the medical officer of health and a person nominated by him, and two health visitors specializing in tuberculosis

work in the city. Provision was made for the number of meetings to be held, the annual auditing of the accounts, and the confidential nature of the work was laid down.

The underlying aim was to combine the freedom of a voluntary body and the efficiency of the local authority. The executive was so designed that every member worked on either the appeals sub-committee or case sub-committee, and in some instances on both.

Accordingly, after this careful preparation, the inaugural meeting was convened in the Town House with the Lord Provost (a university professor and a very able speaker) presiding. Mrs. Wilson and Dr. Murray of the National Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis were the two guest speakers.

Mrs. Wilson discussed the value of care committees in providing a focal point for all those interested in the care of the tuberculous; in facilitating treatment by helping to solve the social problems of the tuberculous household by relieving anxiety, helping to safeguard the patient from relapse, and preserving the health of the family exposed to risk. She emphasized the importance of complete consultation with the clinic team, and the confidential nature of the work; and she described some of the ways in which their own committee had given help.

Dr. Murray then spoke of the importance of the committee meeting frequently, the need to combat the tendency to be too careful with the funds at first and to try and keep the income of the tuberculous family at the level existing when the case was diagnosed, at least for the first year, and the error of continuing financial assistance to the lower income groups only. He then, as a representative of the NAPT, told the committee that the Association would be prepared to give an initial grant of £200 if they approved the constitution.

The election of officers then took place and as president the committee were fortunate in securing an ex-Lord Provost, representing the British Red Cross, who had long been a member of the NAPT and had a lively interest in this work. The senior chest physician and the medical officer of health were unanimously elected vice-presidents, a well-known local chartered accountant representing the Junior Chamber of Commerce became hon. treasurer, and the post of hon. secretary was taken by a health visitor tutor who had experience in tuberculosis nursing and visiting. The executive committee included representatives of the British Red Cross, Women's Voluntary Services, the Soroptimists, the health department and the university. Having been launched with the blessing of the NAPT and the city fathers, the executive committee met a week later.

Establishing the Work

At the first executive meeting the president gave the secretary a minute book and with some diffidence announced quietly that he had opened an account at a local bank with the treasurer and himself as guarantors. With this profession of faith in its ability to raise money, the committee thanked these two eminently practical and generous members and, much encouraged, proceeded with its plans.

It was felt that at the beginning it would be wiser to have all the professional social workers on the case sub-committee, and subsequently this proved a highly satisfactory arrangement. This case sub-committee was made up of the senior chest physician and his nominee, who was another consultant, the nominee of the medical officer of health who happened to be the senior lecturer in social medicine at the university, the senior National Assistance Board officer of the city, in an advisory capacity, the six health visitors specializing in tuberculosis, and the deputy medical officer of health who was appointed convenor.

The appeals sub-committee consisted of the rest of the executive, that is, the representatives of various voluntary organizations under the able chairmanship of the publicity manager for the city. The secretary and treasurer were common to both sub-committees.

Selection of Cases

The chest physician and the health visitors had no difficulty in finding cases, or perhaps it would be better to say in selecting cases. As the disease is notifiable, case finding for the purpose of a case committee is not difficult or haphazard and, with the exception of the odd vagrant and the common lodging-house case, most patients are very well recorded. The confidential nature of the case committee work presents no headache with purely professional workers. The group agreed that a monthly meeting was necessary to get things done with reasonable speed.

Having selected a case the appropriate health visitor wrote a comprehensive report setting out all the relevant details and the kind of help required. Also she produced a signed chit from the patient giving his consent to information about his medical condition and financial circumstances being submitted to the committee. The chest physician saw every case report before it was sent and a copy was duplicated for each committee member and sent to the secretary a week before the meeting. The National Assistance Board officer received his copy then in order that he might have time to look out his records, and in many cases increase the statutory help given to the family. Thus time in committee was saved and the maximum help obtained for each case.

For the payment of money in helping cases the secretary sent the treasurer a copy of the relevant minute, and all accounts were paid by the treasurer directly on receipt of this instruction. It was the policy of the committee never to give money directly to patients, but rather to pay bills direct to tradespeople or give it to the health visitor to administer.

Money-making then became the job of the appeals sub-committee. It was agreed to make a direct appeal to the people of Aberdeen from an official list of prominent citizens supplied from the city publicity department. This involved the designing of an appeals letter, personally signed by the president, and the folding and addressing of 540 letters and envelopes. This herculean task was undertaken by the member of the Women's Voluntary Services and her friends, the secretary and president. This appeal raised £166 and, it was felt, had been well worth the effort involved. Appeals were then made to other bodies like the University Charities Committee, the local football club, etc., with some success. Everyone on the committee brought their own wisdom, local knowledge and ideas to this problem of money raising, and this proved to be very enjoyable.

The University Charities granted £35, and by this time, the constitution having been approved, the £200 grant from the NAPT had arrived, a very welcome addition to our modest bank balance. In the autumn the tuberculosis health visitors formed a small sub-committee and organized a highly successful bring-and-buy sale with the enthusiastic help of the chief nursing officer and the general health visiting staff, and raised £122. By the end of the first year the committee had raised £323 8s. 9d., apart from the £200 grant from the National Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis which made a total of £523 8d. 9d. In all £123 was expended on grants and £38 on stationery and there was a balance of £361 with

which to begin the new financial year. The incredulous expression on the bank manager's face was the best compliment offered when he reviewed the account at the end of the year.

The case committee dealt in all with 36 cases, and it was felt that the number of such cases had proved the need for the committee. Help was given in the following ways: several families had extra coal during the winter allowing more money to be spent on food; help was given for removal expenses and some new furnishings for families rehoused for tuberculosis, especially where they were not occupying all the rooms of the new house owing to lack of furniture, thus defeating the purpose of the rehousing; help was provided with fares for sanatorium visiting; some patients were referred to other charities to which they were entitled, such as service charities, the King Alfred Fund, the Cancer Relief Fund, etc.; holiday fares were paid for the whole family (not just the patient) in order that they could all go away, thus increasing the resistance to infection of the entire family; some help with hire purchase commitments was given when this resulted in too little money being available for food; money was loaned for the payment of rates, to be repaid when the patient returned to work (on the suggestion of a patient); extra blankets were provided for a family in the very cold weather where the bed covering was inadequate; wirelesses were supplied for elderly patients living alone; advice and help was given about re-training for work in conjunction with the Disablement Resettlement Officer and at Christmas 60 families who had been living on National Assistance grants for a year or more were given food parcels.

Here then were 96 families who without this committee could not have had the various kinds of help outlined. The committee at the end of the first year felt a certain sense of achievement, especially on reading the occasional letters of thanks from people who had been helped, and with the preliminary hurdles behind it could look forward to a more ambitious year with increased confidence.

Since tuberculosis care committees are badly needed and are relatively rare, and since the Aberdeen committee is perhaps unique in combining the freedom of a voluntary body with the efficiency of an organization largely administered by local authority officers, the writer felt that a brief description of its origin and initial work might be of interest.

HEALTH VISITING AND CASE-WORK

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ONE result of the National Health Service Act has been to extend very considerably the range of work of the average health visitor. Because of this, the relationship between health visiting and case-work has been much discussed. At the one extreme, there is the medical officer of health who says that the health visitor can do all the welfare work that is needed, and who regards case-workers as entirely superfluous. On the other hand, there is the case-worker who guards what she regards as her territory so jealously as to appear unappreciative of the health visitor's particular contribution to the welfare of her clients, and of the possibilities of fruitful co-operation.

The purpose of this article is to consider what health visitors and case-workers have in common, where their particular disciplines differ in purpose and in method, and to explore certain avenues which might lead to more fruitful co-operation.

Some confusion is undoubtedly caused by the fact that we can never be quite sure that any two people mean the same thing when they speak of case-work. Some use the term to mean almost any kind of welfare work with an individual or a family, others to differentiate a special kind of professional service. Some frankly do not know what the term means, as witnessed by an advertisement for a case-worker which appeared in a newspaper among the craftsmen and makers of leather goods! In this article the term is used to mean a special kind of service, of which I would offer the following definition.

> Case-work is a professional service offered to those who desire help with their personal and family problems. Its aim is to relieve stress and to help the client to achieve a better personal and social adjustment. It proceeds by the study of the individual in his social environment, by the establishment of a co-operative relationship with him, and by the mobilizing of both his own resources and those of the community, to work towards these goals.

For purposes of comparison, I have framed a definition of health visiting in a similar form.

> Health visiting is a professional service offered to families in which there are young children, and also to certain elderly, infirm, sick or handicapped persons. Its aim is preventive health education and social advice. The health visitor proceeds by visiting those assigned to her, by listening to and considering the nature of the problems laid before her, by offering information and advice on all matters pertaining to health, in its broadest sense, and by close co-operation with medical and social services, to promote the health and welfare of those committed to her care.

Both definitions are divided into two parts, the first stating the aim of the service, and the second indicating the means by which it is to be achieved. Let us consider first the respective aims of health visiting and of case-work.

The recent report of the working party inquiring into health visiting* states that: "The functions of health visitors should primarily be health education and social advice."[1] Later, it defines social advice as including "any social action taken to enable the client to follow the health advice given—usually direct practical advice on family management but often advice to turn to others when more help is needed."[293] That there is a social side of a health visitor's work, no one would deny, any more than one would doubt the importance of a doctor's recognition of the social and psychological as well as the physical aspects of his patient's illness, or a case-worker's awareness of the effect of long-term illness on her client.

In any field of work it is one of the marks of professional competence to know one's boundaries and to be sensitively aware of the point at which one's client would be better served by another. This is by no means easy

** Throughout this article numerical references refer to paragraphs in this report. Other references are designated by a letter.*

because, in work with people, boundaries cannot be sharply defined in the way that a trade union may define what certain craftsmen may and may not do. A health visitor may not always find it a simple matter to decide when a mother should be referred for medical advice; a case-worker, seeking to help a client with a deep-seated personality disorder, may, if she is not careful, go too far into the realms of psychotherapy, and a doctor may spend a lot of time seeking to obtain some practical help for a patient which might have been more easily and quickly supplied by reference to the appropriate agency. Sometimes it is our very zeal which impedes effective co-operation. We want to help our clients; we have built up a good relationship, and our professional pride is touched if they show an initial reluctance to the idea of referral, so we find it hard to continue our interpretation of the reason behind the suggestion.

Two Types of Service

May we return to our two definitions for an answer to the question of who are the people served by health visitors and by case-workers? The health visitor's clientele consists of a certain group in the community deemed by the health authorities to require preventive health education. In the majority of cases the help she has to give is offered by her, not requested by her clients. Some problems she will, of course, encounter, but the great majority of her clients are perfectly capable of managing their own affairs and are able to maintain a normal independence. The case-worker, on the other hand, comes in at a point of breakdown, when the client is aware either directly or through some agent, such as the court, of a problem with which he is unable to grapple alone. He comes to the case-worker of his own volition, or is referred to her.

The "problem solving process", as case-work is sometimes described in the United States, takes considerable time, and could not adequately be undertaken by anyone with as heavy a case-load as the average health visitor. This is recognized in the Report, and the further point is made that people may prefer to take their more personal problems to "some other person than the familiar figure of the health visitor".[336] The fact that contact may be terminated when the problem is resolved may be of some importance.

Before discussing the respective methods of work of the health visitor and the case-worker I would draw attention to certain fundamental principles and attitudes which must underlie all true case-work but which are not peculiar to the case-worker. They may be shared by doctor, minister of religion, health visitor and educationist. I believe, moreover, that the extent to which they are shared is an important measure of the possibility of effective co-operation. First among these principles I would place respect for the dignity of the individual, the belief that people matter for themselves and that, within the limits imposed by the community for the benefit of all its members, they have the right to the maximum possible opportunity to lead full and satisfying lives, in the manner which they themselves choose. Respect for the individual implies respect for his right of self-responsibility. It is easy to pay lip service to this right, yet I question whether there is anyone engaged in one of the personal services who can claim never to have infringed it. That quite excellent plan made without discussing it with the person concerned, that consultation without his knowledge and consent, to give but two examples. I venture to think that when we dub a person 'unco-operative' more often than not the reason may be our own failure to treat him as a responsible person.

In modern case-work literature there is much discussion of the principle of acceptance. One of the best expositions I know is contained in an article by Florence Hollis in the journal *Social Work*.[a] Acceptance is not another name for *laissez-faire*, nor does it imply abandonment by the worker of her standard of values. Rather it is the attitude shown when the worker has learnt to separate judgements from feelings towards a person. It is an attitude which conveys to the client the worker's goodwill and desire to help and, what is perhaps more important, the worker's belief in him and his capacity for responsible and effective action. Criticism without acceptance usually produces resentment which makes it a doubtful agent of constructive change, but a critical appraisal, in which the client can share and which he does not feel is a criticism of him as a person, may evoke considerable response and change. I think of a woman who had been severely criticized, and not without reason, by her rent collector and other officials until a great wall of resentment had been built up against THEM, but when approached with appreciation of her genuine, if sometimes misguided, concern for her invalid child, and with some understanding of her difficulties, her resentment melted away and constructive work with her became possible.

The principle of confidence is another foundation stone of all personal work and, like those outlined above, is basic to effective co-operation in social work.

Let us again return to our two definitions and compare ways in which health visitor and case-worker approach their respective tasks. Each uses the interview as her main means of approach and each needs to be sensitive to the emotional response of the client. But while, for the health visitor, the majority of her interviews will be concerned with the giving of expert information which is desired by her clients and which for the most part they are able to accept without conflicting emotion, for the case-worker the majority will be with people who are emotionally disturbed and who can only begin to use help when their anxieties have been relieved by talking out their problem within the security of a professional relationship (see para. 72 of the Report). A case-worker requires an even more highly developed interviewing skill than does the health visitor. The interview is her primary means of gaining understanding and it is also an important element in case-work treatment.

Both health visitors and case-workers establish relationships with their clients which may do much to make or mar their work. There is, however, a subtle difference between relationship as the term is used in common speech to mean good *rapport* and the case-work relationship which, in skilled hands, may be consciously used as one of the means of helping a client.[b]

Skill in Diagnosis

Skill in diagnosis is fundamental to good case-work. This skill may be described as the worker's sensitive understanding of her client as an individual, and her appraisal of the effect of personal relationship and of events past and present on that individual. The case-worker asks not merely what are the facts relating to this problem, but what does this problem mean to this individual? It is the more subtle understanding of her client's attitude and feelings which give the clue as to how help may best be given.

In this process of understanding there is scope for

a *'Social Work' Vol. 12. No. 2. April 1955.*

b *For fuller development of this subject see 'Relationship in Case-work' by E. M. Goldberg ('British Journal of Psychiatric Social Work' Vol. 8. Nov. 1953), also my article 'Therapy in Case-work' in 'Social Work', Vol. 12. No. 3. July 1955.*

really fruitful co-operation between case-worker and health visitor. As already mentioned, the case-worker is usually called in at a moment of crisis, at a time when her client is temporarily overwhelmed by some problem which has got out of hand, when behaviour is exaggerated or maybe quite out of keeping with the client's normal self. It is most important that the case-worker should have some idea of her client's capacity and behaviour under normal circumstances. This knowledge the health visitor may well be able to supply, for in the main her contact is with families in normal circumstances.

The importance of this contribution is stressed in an excellent article in the *Nursing Times* of February 24, 1956.[c] In this article Mrs. Castle makes a plea for fuller records by health visitors. Her plea must be considered realistically in the light of present case-loads and time available. A record is never an end in itself, rather its justification lies in the extent to which it makes possible better service to the client. A good record can be a real aid to understanding, to continuity and to closer and more effective co-operation. The case-worker will probably always need to record more fully than the health visitor but both would do well to consider what style of recording best serves the purposes of their particular service.

In addition to the working party on health visiting, the Ministry of Health set up another to consider recruitment, training and deployment of social workers in health and welfare departments of local authorities. Its report is awaited with interest, but meanwhile social workers in the field have a real opportunity to make our welfare state an effective servant of its citizens, by considering together how their most fruitful co-operation may be achieved.

c *'Social Case-work and the Need for Records', Margaret Castle. 'Nursing Times', February 24, 1956.*

New Research in Mental Health

THREE important mental health research projects are to be undertaken under the auspices of the Mental Health Research Fund. Dr. James A. Hislop, of the department of Human Ecology and University Health Service, Cambridge, will investigate the question of whether mental illness is actually on the increase, or whether more efficient diagnosis and better treatment facilities account for larger numbers of cases. His inquiry will be conducted at Fulbourn Hospital, Isle of Ely—a hospital serving a static population where statistics over the past hundred years are available. Dr. Max Hamilton, D.P.M., senior lecturer, Department of Psychiatry, University of Leeds, receives a senior research fellowship of £1,000 for two years in order to study and compare the effects of E.C.T. and insulin shock treatments in paranoid patients. At present results appear to be erratic, and it is intended to investigate constitutional and other factors in patients which may provide some guide to which is the preferable treatment in individual cases. A travelling fellowship has been awarded to Dr. R. P. Hullin, PH.D., M.SC., lecturer in the Department of Biochemistry, University of Leeds, who will spend a year in the Department of Physiological Chemistry, University of Pennsylvania, U.S.A. He will study new biochemical methods which may be applied to the study of the blood in manic-depressive psychoses and endogenous depression; chemical variations in the blood may be related to mood phases in these patients and investigation may provide a clue to the best time for administration of electro-convulsive therapy.

THE COLLEGE COUNCIL MEETS

October 1956

OPENING the meeting of the Council of the Royal College of Nursing on October 18, Mrs. A. A. Woodman, chairman, welcomed Miss J. Ritchie from Scotland on her first attendance as a Council member. In reply to the request made by the Council, the Minister of Health had agreed that discussion should take place between officials of the Ministry and representatives of the College on points raised in the memorandum prepared by the Public Health Section on the report of the Government working party on District Nurse Training. The College representatives nominated were Mrs. Woodman, Miss Opie, Miss Newington and Miss Wearn, with a representative from Scotland.

U.K. Committee for UNICEF

Following the Council's consideration at the previous meeting and subsequent inquiries into the proposed United Kingdom Committee for the United Nations International Children's Fund, the College has accepted membership of this committee, whose aims are to further the support in this country for UNICEF and to make its work more widely known. Miss M. K. Knight, secretary, Public Health Section, was nominated to serve as the College representative on this body. The chairman is Viscountess Kilmuir, hon. secretary Mr. David Ennals, secretary, United Nations Association, the hon. treasurer Sir Cuthbert Ackroyd, Lord Mayor of London.

Miss M. B. Powell reported that the Professional Association Committee had studied the relevant sections of the second report of the Forces Medical and Dental Services Committee. The comments prepared by the Professional Association Committee drew attention to a number of matters which the Council discussed fully. They deprecated the fact that no nurse had been appointed to the committee which had dealt among other matters with 'nursing and ancillary services'. The whole question of the introduction of 'other ranks' into the nursing services of the Crown and the practice of employing on ward duties women from non-nursing sections who had not volunteered for such duties was considered.

Opportunities for Services nurses to attend refresher courses and post-certificate educational courses such as the two-year sister tutor course were also discussed. Many other details in relation to training for nurses and assistant nurses within the Services and the position of trained nurses, both men and women, were considered. The Council agreed to approach the Forces Medical and Dental Services Committee on matters related to nursing in the report.

Nurses' Superannuation

The Council were gratified to learn that the Ministry of Health had assured them that the superannuation

position of nurses called up in the reserves of the nursing services of the Crown Forces was protected. Such service came within the meaning of National Service and, provided the officer continued to pay the employee's contributions, it would be recognized as service under the National Health Service (Superannuation) Regulations 1955.

A reply had been received from the Minister of Health to the points raised by the College in connection with the superannuation position of certain nurses who resume part-time employment and ultimately full-time employment after having suffered accident or disease in the course of their employment in the National Health Service. In this matter valuable help had been given by Dame Irene Ward, D.B.E., M.P., who had introduced a deputation of representatives of the Royal College of Nursing and other interested organizations which was received by the Minister. The Council noted with appreciation that the Minister was prepared to extend the period within which there is no disqualifying break so that superannuation could be maintained in the case of employees who return to full-time employment, and that provision for this would be included when the proposals for amending the existing National Health Service Superannuation Regulations are put before Parliament. It was regretted, however, that the Minister could not agree to extend the benefits of the scheme to employees resuming part-time work with no prospect of returning to full-time employment, though he had pointed out that such a nurse would be eligible to receive an injury allowance in addition to part-time pay and also to receive an incapacity award, pension being abated as necessary should part-time work be taken up.

A number of matters had been considered by the Labour Relations Committee, including the anomaly in the annual leave recommendation of the Rushcliffe Committee by which a nurse leaving her employment was entitled to only one-twelfth of the total leave allowance for each completed month of service in the leave year, so that the nurse leaving after 11 months' service was entitled to less total leave than the nurse not leaving the service (who only worked 11 months with one month's holiday).

A letter from the Sister Tutor Section asking for a review of the salaries of all tutors had been considered by the Labour Relations Committee. They also asked that the salary of a principal tutor should be at least that of a deputy matron and that provision should be made for a further grade of tutor. The Council agreed to consider these proposals.

Definition of Nurse

The Council discussed the definition of the term 'nurse' under the Nurses' Act 1949—which states that the term 'nurse' means 'a nurse for the sick and nursing shall be construed accordingly', and it was agreed to prepare a definition more in line with the modern practice of nursing, for example one similar to that suggested in the World Health Organization Report of a Working Conference on Nursing Education—"that a nurse, who is needed in all parts of the world, is one who is prepared, through general and professional education, to share as a member of the health team in the care of the sick, the prevention of disease and the promotion of health."

Miss Houghton reported that the Education Committee had no comments to add to the memorandum submitted by the Sister Tutor and the Ward and Departmental Sisters Sections on the draft syllabus of the General Nursing Council for England and Wales for the training of mental nurses which had been considered by the Council at the previous meeting.

The following examination results were reported.

Sister Tutor Diploma, University of London. Part 2 1954-1956 Course: 23 students entered; 19 passed; 5 gained special credit in Practice of Education (Practical) 2 in Educational Psychology; 2 in Physiology with Nutrition and Anatomy; and one in Public Health and Preventive Medicine. The Cowdray Scholar of 1954-56 gained 2 credits. Part 1, 1955-1957 Course: 30 students entered; 23 passed. One of the two Cowdray Scholars of 1955-57 obtained credits in both subjects.

Health Visitor Course, Royal Society of Health examination: 25 students entered, 23 gained the certificate.

The numbers of students in the respective courses for the 1956-1957 session were: full-time—ward sisters 21, nursing administration (hospital) 32, nursing administration (public health) 6, health visitor tutors 9, district nurse tutor 1, sister tutors (first year) 34, sister tutors (second year) 25, occupational health nursing 17, 20, and special courses 5; part-time—Diploma in nursing 12, 15, introductory course for overseas students 41.

Birmingham Centre of Nursing Education—registrations for the school matrons' courses were 17, for the course on tuberculosis 11 (full-time), and 23 students attended the residential refresher course for nurse administrators in hospital, public health and occupational health.

Sister Tutor Section

Miss M. Hill, chairman of the Sister Tutor Section, presented the report and announced that the Agnes Elizabeth Pavey shield for the practical part of the contest for nurses in mental hospitals and mental deficiency institutions entering the annual contest for the Marion Agnes Gullan Trophy had been received by the Section (see *Nursing Times*, August 3 and 10). With the Ward and Departmental Sisters Section the Section had prepared a joint memorandum on the nursing assistant working in mental and mental deficiency hospitals, which was presented to the Council by Miss P. R. M. Rowe, sister-in-charge, St. Luke's-Woodside Hospital, and Miss A. Altschul, principal tutor, The Bethlem Royal and the Maudsley Hospitals. An interesting discussion followed, particularly on the present position and the possible effects arising out of the Ministry circular HM(55)49, on the in-service instruction of nursing assistants; also on the future possibilities for and the preparation and recognition of a grade of assistant mental nurse, comparable to the assistant nurse in the general nursing field.

Miss C. E. Anderson presenting the report of the Scottish Board said that the vice-chairman, Miss J. A.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

From the 'Nursing Times' October 1906 The scope of work for lady sanitary inspectors is, we learn, shortly to be extended, owing to the exceedingly favourable and complimentary report of their work issued by the L.C.C. in its public health report. A class of inspectors will probably be constituted who will be charged with such duties as giving advice on the prevention of infant mortality, limiting the spread of disease, inculcating habits of domestic and personal cleanliness, and the best methods of utilising food.

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October 1906 The Countess of Warwick, in addressing the 11th annual meeting of the Dunmow Nursing Institution, referred to the terrible ignorance which existed in the country district where as yet there were no nurses. She concluded by saying that the introduction of trained nurses into that district had been the means of saving many lives, and she hoped the time was not far off when every village would have its own capable nurse.

The PRINCESS ROYAL with members of the Northern Ireland Appeal Council, after its final meeting on September 28.

Armstrong, had welcomed with much pleasure the president, Miss G. M. Godden, who attended a meeting of the Scottish Board on the occasion of her visit to Scotland for the Glasgow Branch annual dinner.

Miss M. C. N. Lamb, education officer, Scottish Board, had been appointed part-time lecturer to the University Nursing Teaching Unit as from October 1, 1956.

Requests had been received for nominations to the Scottish Health Services Council and the Standing Nursing and Midwifery Advisory Committee; names were being submitted to the Department of Health. A working party had been set up to prepare material for submission to the Scottish Maternity Services Review Committee; the members were Miss G. C. Cruickshank, midwifery superintendent, Western General Hospital, Edinburgh; Miss M. J. Ferrier, health visitor to the University General Practice Teaching Unit, Edinburgh; Miss J. R. Hurry, county nursing superintendent, Kirkcaldy; Miss M. C. Ormiston, nursing superintendent, City of Glasgow; Miss J. Ritchie, matron, Stirling Royal Infirmary, and Miss E. W. Stenhouse, domiciliary midwife, Glasgow.

It was noted with regret that the resolution proposed by the St. Andrews Branch of the College for discussion at the annual conference of the National Council of Women of Great Britain in October had not been selected for the agenda. The Council agreed that the resolution " that old people whose sole source of income is old-age pension be granted milk and vitamin preparations at the same reduced rates as expectant mothers and children " was valuable and agreed to continue their efforts to bring this to the notice of the appropriate authorities.

The Student Nurses' Association annual rally and speechmaking contest had been held at the Royal Edinburgh Hospital by courtesy of the matron and board of management who were more than generous in their hospitality to the 90 students and guests who attended. Miss L. M. Avery, secretary-general, Royal Australian Nursing Federation, presented the Greig Cup and prizes; Miss Annie Butchart, King's Cross Hospital, Dundee, was the winner, Miss Margaret Butler, Stracathro Hospital, Brechin, was the runner-up. The subject for the speeches was ' Education for Life through Nursing '.

A successful area meeting was held by the Sister Tutor Section, Scottish Regional Committee, at Perth in September. The subject was ' Difficulties met with when teaching from the New Syllabus ' At this meeting Miss A. Aiken, Stracathro Hospital, was appointed chairman to succeed Miss I. G. McInroy who had been chairman of the Section in Scotland for 20 years. A writing bureau and handsomely decorated mirror was presented to Miss McInroy in appreciation of her outstanding service to the Sister Tutor Section in general, and to the Scottish Regional Committee in particular.

The area organizer reported details of Miss B. Yule's visits to the Ward and Departmental Sisters Section within the Branches, which were much appreciated. A new Section within the Perthshire Branch had been established.

Northern Ireland

Miss M. H. Hudson, chairman of the Committee for Northern Ireland, reported that the Princess Royal visited the Committee's headquarters on September 28, on the occasion of the final meeting of the Appeal Council. The Princess Royal accompanied by H. E. Lady Wakehurst was welcomed officially by the Lord Glentoran, H.M.L., the Lord Mayor and the Town Clerk of Belfast, the Rt. Hon. Dame Dehra Parker, D.B.E., M.P., Minister of Health and Local Government, and the chairman of the Appeal Council, Mrs. J. A. Mackie, O.B.E. In reply to Mrs. Mackie's speech of welcome, the Princess Royal commended the work of the Appeal Council and wished the College future success and happiness. Nurses from all parts of the province attended the function.

The Council agreed to hold a three-day conference on the memorandum *Observations and Objectives* on December 3, 4 and 5. The date of the next meeting is November 15.

Convalescent Homes— A Working Party for London

THE Minister of Health, Mr. R. H. Turton, has appointed a working party to consider the arrangements for convalescent treatment under the National Health Service with particular reference to those existing in the London area. The terms of reference are: " To examine the extent to which the provision of convalescent homes in the National Health Service is meeting the demands placed upon it in the light of recent advances in medicine and modern conceptions of treatment and nursing care, to review the admissions machinery in the London area and to make recommendations."

The working party consists of officers of the Ministry and the following members representing outside organizations: Captain H. Brierley, O.B.E., M.C., secretary and house governor, London Hospital, E.1 (The Teaching Hospitals Association); Sir Henry Tidy, K.B.E., M.D., F.R.C.P., and Commander R. W. Peers, R.N. (Retd.) (King Edward's Hospital Fund for London); Miss A. B. Reed, head almoner, St. Thomas' Hospital, and Miss M. J. Roxburgh, head almoner, The Middlesex Hospital (The Institute of Almoners); James Graham, Esq., M.A., M.B., CH.B., senior administrative medical officer, North East Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board, and B. J. Lord, Esq., deputy secretary, North West Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board (Metropolitan Regional Hospital Boards); R. A. Andrews, Esq., M.A., M.B., B.CHIR., D.M.R. (general medical practitioner).

The chairman of the working party will be Dr. N. M. Goodman, a principal medical officer of the Ministry, and the secretary Mr. L. B. Jacques, also of the Ministry.

Letters to the Editor

Health and Wholeness

MADAM.—In Manchester, on September 29, I joined with health visitors in a conference to discuss the Working Party Report. Much discussion centred round the case-worker. One speaker made a remark so challenging that it was received in silence and quickly passed over. She referred to the interpretation of health as the well-being of the body, mind, and spirit, and made a plea that we should not ignore the spiritual aspect.

For a long time, I have concerned myself not so much with the many problems requiring social action as with the cause and prevention of such problems.

We are health visitors and it is significant that the Anglo-Saxon root of the word 'health' means' holiness' as well as 'wholeness'. During their long histories, the medical and nursing professions have learnt that much bodily illness has its origin in the mind. Today, bodies are more whole than ever before, but minds are sick. Our mental hospitals are overflowing, and we are becoming more and more aware that for many, life has become tasteless and purposeless, a striving to get, but with nothing to give.

Against these full hospitals we might well set our empty churches. We all know of families in which, despite social action, stability is not present, and we are left thinking "if only they were different".

For when all is said and done, what is case-work? Having co-ordinated the social history, environmental influences, character traits and the like, where are we? Can we docket our families, take relevant social action, without realizing that unless the spirit governing those people is changed, there will be further need of social action sooner or later? Should we not go deeper? Frequently we hear "you can't change human nature". Yet lives are changed. Christ can and does change and direct human purpose.

I have spoken to many interested and disinterested persons on this topic, and the usual response is that it is 'the churches' business', meaning I assume, that it is the work of the ordained minister. They certainly are specialists, but surely the onus is on us, the laity, for I read in my Bible that the Church is the mystical body of Christ, made up of believers filled with the Holy Spirit. Christ's miracles of healing and social action were all bound up with the individual's spiritual need. Surely this points to the fact that health, social advice and action are purposeless and meaningless without reference to spiritual well-being.

In our pioneer days health visitors were called health missionaries, and they indeed spread their gospel of health insofar as it was then understood, but now we are given a deeper and wider concept.

Here is the answer to our problems, to our case-work—lives changed by belief in Jesus Christ and the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Yet "how shall they learn without a teacher?"

The challenge comes to us anew down the ages, to all who concern themselves with their fellow men. "Behold, I send you forth . . . Heal the sick and say, the Kingdom of God is come nigh unto you."

At this time when we are considering the training and field of work of health visitors, should we not take stock of what we want this to be? How far are we concerned with health, that is, the wholeness of man—with only two-thirds? This is the greatest challenge that has ever been given. Dare we take it up? There are many among us who have, but it must have more recognition by our leaders, in our training schools and in our departments, and in ourselves.

B. M. LONG,
College Member 73577.

Recruitment—Influence of Surroundings

MADAM.—I was interested to read of the developments at Cuckfield Hospital, and congratulate all concerned at the wonderful progress made in so short a time. My home is only about six miles from the hospital, so I have some appreciation of the great changes made.

My real reason for writing to you is to make a mild protest regarding your comments on recruitment there. To say that they have no recruitment problems because "hospitals are advertised from within" is a somewhat unreasonable statement, overlooking the fact that Cuckfield is in one of the loveliest parts of Sussex, free from polluted air, in a very pleasant residential and agricultural area, and no industry nearer than Crawley New Town, 12 miles away. It is also within easy distance of London or the coast.

My hospital has a happy atmosphere, also with a 'freedom' policy, but we are terribly overworked due to staff shortages. But then *we* are in a grim dirty area, with industry surrounding us and slums on our doorstep! Student nurses, reading a paragraph like that, may realize that the deciding factor of recruitment *is* external conditions for the hospitals in the South.

NORTHERN MATRON,
College Member 34712.

Field of Remembrance

The Q.A.R.A.N.C. Association, 20, John Islip Street, Millbank, London, S.W.1, wishes to draw the attention of members to the Field of Remembrance at Westminster Abbey on November 8 at 12 noon. Would Association members able to join representatives at the opening ceremony please send names to the secretary.

Royal East Suffolk Hospital, Hastings

Miss M. H. Pierce, who has been at the hospital since 1930, is retiring in November. Past members of the staff will remember her best on P.W.1. It is hoped to make a presentation to Miss Pierce, and anyone wishing to subscribe should send their donations to matron, please.

STATE EXAMINATION QUESTIONS

GENERAL NURSING COUNCIL FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Preliminary State Examination—Part I

Candidates must attempt two questions from Section A and two from Section B, and one from either section.

SECTION A.—ELEMENTARY ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY

1. Give an account of the shoulder girdle and describe its functions.

2. Enumerate the structures involved in respiration. Describe the sequence of events leading to the intake of air into the lungs and to its expulsion.

3. Describe the structure of the kidney. Indicate briefly how urine is produced.

4. Give an account of the return of blood to the heart from (*a*) the foot and (*b*) the small intestine.

SECTION B.—PERSONAL AND COMMUNAL HEALTH

5. Give a brief account of (*a*) carriers of disease; (*b*) the importance of antenatal care; (*c*) the value of health inspections in schools.

6. Describe satisfactory methods of dealing with refuse (*a*) by the householder and (*b*) by the local authority in a large town. Why are these measures important?

7. There is a proposal to instal electricity and a piped water supply to a row of country cottages. Discuss the benefits these amenities would bring to the householders.

8. What are the aims in ventilating a room? What is meant by: (*a*) natural ventilation; (*b*) artificial (mechanical) ventilation? State in what conditions the latter may be needed.

Part II

PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE OF NURSING (including BACTERIOLOGY AND PRINCIPLES OF ASEPSIS AND FIRST AID)

1. What are the important points to be observed in the preparation of a patient for a general anaesthetic?

2. For what purposes may inhalations be ordered? Describe the preparation of one of the types you mention. How is the patient safeguarded?

3. Describe the nursing care you would give to a bed-ridden patient who is paralysed on one side of his body.

4. A patient suffering from an infectious disease has been nursed in a side room. Describe in detail the measures which should be taken to deal with the room after the discharge of the patient from hospital.

5. What first-aid measures would you carry out in the following circumstances: (*a*) a woman found unconscious in a gas-filled room; (*b*) a child who has swallowed disinfectant fluid?

6. What rules should be followed in the administration of a medicine by mouth? What precautions should be observed in a hospital ward regarding the storage of medicines?

7. What is the value of a feeling of security in the upbringing of a child? How may this affect his career as an adult?

The Board of Examiners by whom these papers were set is constituted as follows: G. A. KILOH, ESQ., M.D., M.R.C.P., MISS E. W. M. CLARE, S.R.N., MISS K. A. B. FOWLER, S.R.N., R.S.C.N., MISS G. M. OLIVER, S.R.N., R.M.N.

RUSH GREEN HOSPITAL OPEN DAY

An open day for the general public will be held at Rush Green Hospital, Romford, on Wednesday, October 31 at 2.30 p.m.

The objects of this open day are to give the public an insight into the organization of the various departments of a busy general hospital; to quicken the interest of young people in nursing as a career, and to stimulate recruitment to the National Hospital Service Reserve.

PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS

Changing Emphasis in Treatment

by ERIC K. INNIS, S.R.N., B.T.A.CERT.,
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REVOLUTIONARY changes in the treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis are of more recent origin, but there has been a slow and long development in conquering the disease. This can be seen from the following statistics:

Deaths from Tuberculosis in England and Wales

1869	70,404
1945	23,468
1949	19,802
1954	7,899

This recent dramatic decline in the death-rate, due to a number of factors, has made it possible to concentrate on finding new cases with the help of mass X-ray units. Even here the number of new notifications and the percentage of sputum-positive patients shows a fall:

Notifications in England and Wales

		(sputum-positive)
1949	47,191	40%
1954	39,522	37%

More attention can now be paid to the problem of prevention, but it calls for imagination and alertness if we want to come near Denmark's position, where no one under the age of 25 has recently died of tuberculosis. For nurses, however, the figures only provide the background. We have to look for reflected changes in the treatment of patients now coming under treatment at an earlier stage.

Bed-rest

Reading Thomas Mann's *Magic Mountain* again, I was astonished to find that much of the treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis before the First World War is still in use today. In those days Switzerland was the leading country where the consumptive sought relief and where the climatic conditions attracted patients and physicians alike. These are the characters portrayed in Thomas Mann's book. The basic principle of treatment was a simple one, which is still applied to all febrile conditions—complete bed-rest. Rest treatment created a world of its own; but the disease was only prevented from spreading by resting the body and thereby resting the lungs.

Mr. Snell, M.D., F.R.C.P., in his presidential address to the British Tuberculosis Association Conference in 1955 reminded us of the old times, when treatment was "based entirely on Marcus Patterson's scheme of graduated exercise in which patients as soon as they become afebrile on bed-rest, and this was the only criterion, were soon got up for increasing hours, thence to curtailed walks and so to various grades of garden work. Grade 1 in summer consisted merely of carrying baskets of grass-mowings, while grade 5 involved heavy work with spade and wheelbarrow or axe. The idea behind this was that each graded weekly increase stirred up the pulmonary circulation, liberating increasing doses of tuberculin, which stimulated the patient's resistance by auto-inoculation. An evanescent rise of temperature to 99.2°F or so as the grade increased was a desirable indication that this had occurred, although I do not think that it was often seen."

The task of supervising the patients at these exercises was often given to the hospital gardener. Today we smile at this, but our present-day treatment swings back to the ideas behind those of Patterson, and quite recently Dr. G. A. Day has expressed this simply: "Basically, I submit, the problem of tuberculosis has always been the problem of resistance . . . and still is."

He goes on to say: "In spite of every modern advance, there appears to be only one way in which to develop resistance: prolonged rest followed by slowly increasing and carefully graduated exertions."

Collapse Therapy

The big advance in the treatment with other means started with collapse therapy. Artificial pneumothorax and resection of adhesions was hailed in the 1920's. Streptomycin opened the way to major surgery like thoracoplasty, lobectomy and segmental resection and in some cases pneumonectomy. All these help to eliminate tuberculosis in the mainly affected parts, but as it is very seldom confined to one part of the lung it is still necessary to develop several resistances within the patients. Streptomycin, PAS and INAH are of considerable help but rest and gradual exercise are still predominant factors and together they show results.

Dr. Holmes Sellors was greatly astonished when he discovered that after two years a number of patients on his waiting list for surgery did not need operations any more. After a swing towards major surgery we now notice a swing towards more selective surgery, a sign that the more advanced cases have benefited by major surgical treatment of past years. For a long time effective treatment depended on the place in a long waiting list for surgery, but now it is the chest physician who dominates the field, leaving the chest surgeon more time to deal with carcinoma of the lung.

F. H. Young illustrates this change in his survey of some surgical cases. "The part of the surgeon is that of the character who comes into the play fairly late, monopolizes the most dramatic scene and then takes little further active part in the play; whereas the physician is on the stage from the rise till the fall of the curtain." (*British Medical Journal* and Brompton Reports.)

Surgery Not Enough

Tuberculosis patients who have had major chest surgery often do not understand that this is not *all* the treatment. "Experience so far gained", says L. E. Houghton, "suggests that surgery, or indeed any form of collapse therapy, cannot as a single measure reverse an inherent tendency to react unfavourably to the tuberculous bacillus or reinforce resistance in a vulnerable individual when he is placed in an unfavourable environment." Rest treatment and gradual increase in exertion is all-important and calls for more than nursing skill, because the patient has to contend with a long-drawn-out treatment, which often seems endless from his point of view. Calming the often very strong temperaments and in some cases the planning of an entirely new life are difficult and involved tasks.

G. A. Day draws attention to "another change which has taken place over the years and that is the greater co-operation of patients and their ability, presumably due to the rising standard of education, to appreciate the ideas behind their treatment." With this in mind, home treatment even of sputum-positive patients became possible without danger to the community, but a recent survey in Glasgow shows that sputum-conversion is less effective at home.

Perhaps the best lead in the conception of a comprehensive treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis has come from Canada, where I understand that right from the beginning the question of a suitable occupation after successful treatment is taken into consideration. This is discussed with the patient and as far as possible preparations for the new job are started while the patients are under treatment. Thus the ever-present anxiety about the future has lost much of its sting and the patient's mind is set at rest.

For those interested in more detailed information, especially about treatment in Switzerland and Scandinavia, Miss Mary Mostoyn has given an excellent report in *NAPT*, April 1956. Her report closes with a hopeful note about BCG and prevention of tuberculosis. Speaking of Denmark she says: "One can see the positive results of the BCG campaign in the children's hospitals' empty beds and rarely any miliary disease. Though children who have had BCG have later developed primary disease or the adult type, none developed miliary tuberculosis or tuberculous meningitis.

No doubt many points could be added, especially about the difference in treatment in countries like the United States and in the Far East. I have tried to bring out some recent thoughts about the problem in Great Britain and quotations were chosen accordingly. In conclusion I would like to repeat the often quoted words of Dr. Morriston Davies, who said: "Those patients whom I can get to heal themselves without my having to do anything, I regard as my greatest triumphs."

Colour in a Children's Ward

A MINOR REVOLUTION

WE have just returned to our newly decorated ward.

I must admit we were all a little downhearted when we were first told we must move out of our familiar surroundings to a ward on the first floor, and we tended to think what a lot of trouble repairing and decorating would cause us. Eventually we completed the migration, but from the very beginning had made up our minds that we were not going to like it and never became reconciled.

Then came the problem of choosing colours for our own ward. Little we thought at this stage of the many comments the colour scheme would bring forth, some pleasant, many not so pleasant. After much time spent in looking at colours and in prolonged discussion, we decided to have a rose pink ceiling, dove grey walls, and a deep French pink in the alcoves, and round the windows, to accentuate the two pastel shades. As the ceiling and walls were gradually transformed into delicate shades

of pink and grey our choice of colours met with approval, but when the French pink was added we suffered from many condemnatory and often scathing remarks from the various critics—one person said it looked like Brighton rock, another that it looked like blancmange, and the male medical staff disliked it intensely and made no secret of it. This confirmed what I had always rather suspected, that men are indeed colour-blind and dyed-in-the-wool conservatives.

The decorating was finished by placing motifs, mostly nursery rhyme scenes, in groups on the walls, and new lights were put in. When the floor was polished until it shone like a mirror and the ward was re-inhabited, the whole effect was delightful.

Our little patients did not let us down. As we moved them back, one after the other they clapped their hands and said it was a lovely ward—some of them even said they did not want to go home! David, aged three, however, kept very quiet and when asked if he liked the new ward very emphatically said "No".

We have now settled in very happily, and most people appreciate the colours we have chosen, especially when the sun shines and makes the ward look brighter than ever. I feel that we, who have ventured to break away from the traditional hospital colours, have won, particularly as even most of the medical staff have now been converted.

MARGARET E. MCDERMOTT,
Ward Sister, Hospital of St. Cross, Rugby.

News in Brief

PRINCESS MARGARET is to meet nurses of Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps at a cocktail party to be held at the Royal College of Surgeons on October 30.

NEITHROP AND PINES HOSPITALS, BANBURY.—Miss B. McLoughlin, S.R.N., S.C.M., at present assistant matron at Tehidy Chest Hospital, Camborne, has been appointed matron.

FIELD-MARSHAL EARL ALEXANDER OF TUNIS visited on September 30 the war cemetary in Cassino, Italy, to unveil a memorial to 4,068 British and Commonwealth soldiers and seven British nurses who were killed in the Italian and Sicilian campaigns in the Second World War and who have no known graves.

MATRON OF WELLINGTON HOSPITAL, SOMERSET, Miss Gladys Leach was presented with an inscribed gold wrist-watch and a cheque for £400 by former patients on her retirement after 25 years' matronship.

R.S.H. CHAIRMAN.—At a meeting of the Council of the Royal Society of Health Professor Harold Burrow was installed as chairman of Council for 1956-57. He succeeds Dr. Albert Parker, C.B.E. Professor Burrow is the first veterinary surgeon in the 80 years history of the Society to occupy this position.

WAKEFIELD 'A' GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE is to explore the possibility of sending three representatives to Spain on a recruiting campaign for student nurses for the Clayton, General and Snapethorpe Hospitals, near Doncaster.

A NEW £9,144 PHYSIOTHERAPY DEPARTMENT was recently opened at Paulton Memorial Hospital by the chairman of the National Coal Board, Mr. James Bowman.

PHYSICIAN TO VISIT POLAND.—At the invitation of the Polish Ministry of Health, Dr. R. H. Dobbs, physician in the Children's Department of the London Hospital, is visiting Poland from October 19 to 29. He will join Sir Robert Macintosh and Professor Ian Aird in Warsaw.

NATIONAL HOSPITAL SERVICE RESERVE No. 8 Area Joint Committee in Bradford, because of a shortage of trained nurses on the reserve, is to publicize a 48-hour refresher course for nurses who have left the profession. After taking the course the trained nurse would be on call in emergency.

HERE and THERE

S.E.A.N. COURSE

A REFRESHER course arranged by the South Western Regional Hospital Board was held recently in Bristol. The first of its kind to be arranged on a regional basis, it was attended by 130 State-enrolled assistant nurses, 70 of whom were resident.

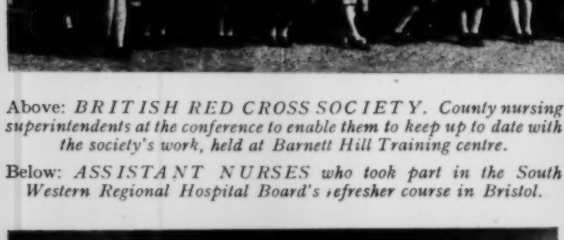
At the opening session the nurses were welcomed by Mr. H. M. Scott, chairman of the Board's Nursing Services Committee, who introduced Dr. G. C. Kelly, senior administrative officer of the board. In his talk Dr. Kelly referred to the great need for nursing staff and stressed the important part which the State-enrolled assistant nurse has to play in the National Health Service. Dr. Kelly also expressed the board's appreciation of the excellent service being given by State-enrolled assistant nurses throughout the region.

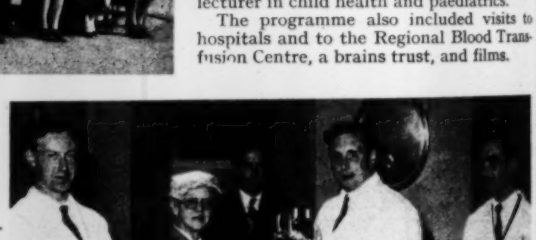
During the course, talks were given on the following subjects: 'The Blood Transfusion Service', by Dr. N. F. W. Brueton, deputy director, South Western Regional Transfusion Service; 'The Place of the State-enrolled Assistant Nurse in the Geriatric Service', by Dr. T. S. Wilson, geriatrician, Barncoose Hospital, Redruth, Cornwall; 'Food in Health and Illness', by Miss E. Washington, senior adviser on catering and dietetics, Ministry of Health; 'Aspects of Nursing Care of Children', by Dr. T. E. Oppe, lecturer in child health and paediatrics.

The programme also included visits to hospitals and to the Regional Blood Transfusion Centre, a brains trust, and films.

Above: *BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY. County nursing superintendents at the conference to enable them to keep up to date with the society's work, held at Barnett Hill Training centre.*

Below: *ASSISTANT NURSES who took part in the South Western Regional Hospital Board's refresher course in Bristol.*





Above: *SOCIETY OF REGISTERED MALE NURSES East Lancashire Branch third annual practical nursing contest. Members of the Stanley Royd Hospital, Wakefield, team, receive the trophy for the senior section.*

Royal College of Nursing

Public Health Section

Public Health Section within the Liverpool Branch.—A whist drive will be held at Carnegie Welfare Centre, Arrad Street, on **Monday, November 5,** at 7.15 p.m. Programmes, 2s. 6d., obtainable from Miss M. S. Fox, 80, Langton Road, Liverpool, 15.

Branch Notices

Worthing and South-West Sussex Branch.—Visit to Chailey Heritage on **Wednesday, October 31**: charge 4s., assemble Worthing Hospital, 12.30 p.m. Please let the secretary know if you wish to come by Monday, October 29.

Yorkshire Branch at Leeds.—A general meeting to hear the report of the Branches Standing Committee meeting will be held at the General Infirmary at Leeds on **Tuesday, November 13,** at 7.30 p.m.

New Section, Perth

At a meeting at Perth Royal Infirmary, on October 4, it was decided to form a Ward and Departmental Sisters Section within the Perthshire Branch. Officers were appointed as follows: chairman—Miss E. Watson, Bridge of Earn Hospital; secretary—Miss P. M. M. Mackintosh, Perth Royal Infirmary; treasurer—Miss M. Kerr, Perth Royal Infirmary.

All ward and departmental sisters within the Perthshire Branch who are interested in the Section are asked to contact the secretary.

Occupational Health Section, East Midland Area

The fifth East Midland area meeting and conference was held at Nottingham General Hospital on October 13. Seventy people were present, 33 of whom stayed for the area meeting and the afternoon session. These occupational health nurses represented several large firms in the Midlands, the majority coming from the National Coal Board, Boots Pure Drug Co. Ltd., Rolls Royce Co. Ltd., and the Stanton Iron Works Co. Ltd. Morning coffee and afternoon tea was provided in the pleasant hall.

The first speaker, Mr. D. Wynn-Williams, M.S., F.R.C.S., surgeon-in-charge, Plastic Unit, Nottingham City Hospital, had everyone fascinated when he spoke of 'Modern Trends of Plastic Surgery' and illustrated his talk with slides showing many operations on children for hare lip and other congenital deformities, and on adults for burns, carcinoma and cosmetic reasons. Mr. W. D. Fraser, M.B., CH.B., radiotherapist-in-charge, Hogarth Radiotherapeutic Centre, Nottingham General Hospital, then gave a talk on 'The Use of Radioactive Isotopes in Medicine' which was also illustrated by slides. He dealt with this most difficult subject in language which all could understand.

Miss M. L. Wenger, D.N.(LOND.), editor, *Nursing Times*, in her talk entitled 'Producing a Nursing Journal' said that in the early days of selection of women to train as nurses one hospital required them to be able to "read and write, and read writing". She felt that many nurses today still did not read or write enough. She outlined the work involved before the journal was 'put to bed'.

Mrs. I. G. Doherty, who spoke at the area meeting, gave a résumé of College activities and of the various bursaries offered by the college to occupational health nurses. The meeting ended with a vote of thanks by Miss D. A. Pemberton to all concerned, especially to Miss M. C. Plucknett, matron, for the excellent facilities available and the hospitality given to the Occupational Health Section.

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Bedford Study Day

"Studying together is a very stimulating experience", commented the Hon. Romola Russell, president of the Bedford Branch, when she welcomed students to the Branch study day at Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), on October 8.

This was the third such study day to have been held in Bedford, and the nurses and midwives attending received lecture demonstrations on a variety of subjects. The morning session, for which Dr. M. D. C. Horsford, consultant anaesthetist, Bedford General Hospital, acted as chairman, was devoted to cardiac surgery, the lecturer being Mr. C. E. Drew of the Westminster Hospital.

After lunch Dr. W. C. V. Brothwood, county medical officer of health, presided for a talk by Miss F. N. Udell, chief nursing officer, Colonial Office, on some aspects of the work in the Colonial Nursing Service. The two remaining lectures were on 'Diabetes Mellitus', by Dr. G. A. Metcalfe, senior physician, Bedford General Hospital, and 'Genito-Urinary Disorders', by Mr. I. H. Griffiths, The Middlesex Hospital.

The arrangements for the study day were in the hands of a special sub-committee.

Glasgow Branch Dinner

Into what splendour were the members and friends of the Glasgow Branch ushered to take part in the most enjoyable dinner and ceilidh which was held in the banqueting hall of the Glasgow City Chambers on October 9!

The Lord Provost and Lady Provost; Councillor Mrs. Mary McAlister, president of the Branch; Miss G. M. Godden, O.B.E., president of the College; Dr. Nora Wattie; Mrs. Kier-Watson, chairman of the Branch; Miss Stewart, secretary, Scottish Board; Miss J. Armstrong, vice-chairman, Scottish Board; Miss Milroy, area organizer; Mrs. Childs, secretary, Glasgow, and Miss E. Hodge, treasurer, formed the platform party. Also among those present were two student nurses invited by the Branch, and members from Argyll, Dumfries, Dunfermline, Brechin, Stirlingshire, Renfrewshire and Lanarkshire.

Miss Stewart proposed the toast to the City of Glasgow giving a brief outline of all the amenities offered by the 'City Fathers'. In reply the Lord Provost said it was the first time he had returned thanks without any ensuing argument. Mrs. McAlister then proposed the toast to the Royal College of Nursing. She emphasized the importance of every nurse being a member of her own professional organization.

Great applause expressed appreciation of the honour conferred on nursing by the appointment of Miss F. G. Goodall as chairman of the Whitley Council. It was with great pleasure that members learned of Dr. Nora Wattie's honour in being appointed the first woman president of the Royal Sanitary Association of Scotland.

Miss Godden replied to this toast. She brought to the Glasgow Branch the College's sincere greetings and was happy to be able to come across the Border for this unusual opening meeting of the 1956-1957 session.

Miss Keachie, supervisor of health visitors for Glasgow, proposed the vote of thanks to Mrs. McAlister. The company enjoyed the haunting songs of the ceilidh provided by Miss Mary McNiven, Mr. Angus McLeod, Mr. Matthew Nesbitt, assisted by accompanist Mr. Hugh Martin and Mr. Donald McRitchie, who was chairman of the ceilidh. The Kelvingrove Ceilidh Band maintained musical interest with their rousing airs. A most satisfying, sociable and happy evening.

GLASGOW BRANCH dinner and ceilidh. Guests chatting to the master of ceremonies.

≈ *College Christmas Card* ≈

The College Christmas card this year contains a photograph of Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother taken when she visited the 'Horse to Helicopter' Fair held in the grounds of Marlborough House this summer in aid of the Royal College of Nursing appeal fund. Her Majesty is seen, in a charmingly informal picture, leaving the gypsy caravan which was one of the features of the fair. The Christmas card bears the College crest printed in dark blue on the front; inside is the greeting "With all good wishes for Christmas and the New Year", with plenty of space for the sender's signature or for overprinting. The cards cost 8d. each

CHESTERFIELD MEMBERS

recently paid a visit to a coalmine; they went underground at Rambroft Colliery as one of a series of educational tours of local industry. Miss A. Parkinson, secretary of the Branch, remarked that as some Branch members often had to care for miners in hospital, it was very valuable to see for themselves the conditions under which they worked.

including envelope; orders for over one dozen, post free; postage 4d. on orders of less than one dozen.

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We are asked to remind readers ordering the College pencils (which make attractive small Christmas gifts), that only orders for one dozen and upwards can be accepted by post; for smaller quantities than this postage and the necessary packing make it an uneconomic proposition. Single pencils can be obtained on calling personally.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF NURSING APPEAL

for the Nation's Fund for Nurses

Winter will soon be here and with it extra money will be needed for fuel. Will you please help now so that the extra help will be ready when the need arises. We acknowledge with many thanks the donations received this week.

Contributions for week ending October 20

	£	s.	d.
Mrs. F. M. Magill	2	5	0
Miss A. Wood		10	0
Redruth Branch	1	1	0
'Hayes'. *Quarterly donation*		10	0
Rugby and District Branch. For Christmas	5	5	0
Newport and Monmouth Branch. For Christmas	5	5	0
General Hospital, Northampton. Collection at service for Nurses' League reunion	4	12	6
Mrs. M. Sykes		10	0
College Member 37071	1	10	0
'In memory of Kate Evelyn Poole'	1	1	0
Scunthorpe and Brigg Branch. For Christmas	1	0	0
Miss Barnby		10	0
College Member 19367	1	1	0

Total £25 0s. 6d.

Royal College of Nursing Christmas Tree

We have already received many lovely gifts for our Christmas parcels and we appreciate their early arrival. We acknowledge with many thanks gifts from Miss T. M. Davy, Miss I. Charley, Miss A. Wood, Miss K. M. Crane, Miss M. Woodhead, Miss K. L. Bigg, Miss Opie, Swansea Branch (Gorseinon Hospital) and Scunthorpe and Brigg Branch.

	£	s.	d.
North Eastern Metropolitan Group. Collection at a meeting	1	2	0
Anonymous	1	0	0
Kidderminster Sub-Branch	2	2	0
Miss G. D. M. West		10	0

Total £4 14s.

E. F. INGLE,
Secretary, Royal College of Nursing Appeal for the Nation's Fund for Nurses, 1a, Henrietta Place, Cavendish Square, London, W.1.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.—If you are writing a letter for publication in the *Nursing Times*, please give your name and address. These need not be published, but letters cannot be accepted if these details are not given.

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Coming Events

Central Middlesex Hospital, N.W.10.—The prizegiving will be held in the recreation room of the nurses home on Tuesday, October 30, at 3 p.m. Mme Eliahu Elath will present the awards.

Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Hospital Nurses' League.—The annual reunion will be held on Saturday, November 17, preceded by a service in the chapel at 3 p.m. There will be a bring-and-buy stall. R.S.V.P. to Sister Chapman, 40, Belsize Grove, London, N.W.3.

Joint Biology Committee.—*The Biological Applications and Effects of Nuclear Radiation*—a conference will be held in the Conference Hall, County Hall, Westminster Bridge, London, S.E.1, on Saturday, November 17. Admission 10s. Details from the British Social Biology Council, Tavistock House South, Tavistock Square, London, W.1.

Mile End Hospital.—A bring-and-buy sale, to be opened by Miss Rosalie Dreyer, will be held on November 2 at 2.30 p.m. All past members of the staff will be welcome.

St. Giles Hospital, S.E.5.—The annual bazaar will be held at the hospital on Thursday, November 1, from 2 to 6 p.m. All former members of the staff are invited.

St. Mary Abbots Hospital Nurses' League.—The autumn reunion will be held at the hospital on Saturday, November 3. Service in the chapel 2.30 p.m., league meeting 3 p.m., followed by tea. All former members of the staff are cordially invited. R.S.V.P. to the secretary, Nurses' League.

Appointments

Glasgow Royal Infirmary

MISS J. M. DODDS, R.G.N., S.C.M., R.F.N., S.T.CERT., who has recently returned from Australia, has been appointed PRINCIPAL SISTER TUTOR in the preliminary training school. Miss Dodds trained at the Belvidere Fever Hospital, Glasgow, Royal Infirmary, Glasgow, and the Maternity Hospital, Bellshill. Her nursing experience includes posts as ward sister and night sister, City Hospital, Aberdeen, district nurse, Armadale, home sister and assistant matron, Glenlomond Sanatorium, sister tutor at Glasgow Royal Infirmary, principal sister tutor, Royal Aberdeen Hospital for Sick Children. She has also had experience as a tutor and as ward sister in Australian hospitals, and has since been sister tutor at Aberdeen Royal Infirmary and associated hospitals.

Obituary

Miss P. Richards

We regret to announce the death of Miss Priscilla Richards, late matron of St. Anne's Orchard, Malvern, Worcestershire. Miss Richards trained at Victoria Hospital, Swindon, and after a year at Cheltenham Eye and Ear Hospital became a staff nurse at Cheltenham General Hospital. She was for three years theatre sister at the Birmingham Ear, Throat and Nose Hospital before taking a housekeeping course in London. After a short period as sister at Tunbridge Wells Eye Hospital, Miss Moore was appointed matron of the Birmingham Saturday Fund Convalescent Home, Malvern, and was later matron of the Birmingham Saturday Fund Hospital, Droitwich. Miss Moore was an active member of the Worcester Branch of the Royal College of Nursing.

NURSING SCHOOL NEWS

Left: *PRINCE OF WALES'S HOSPITAL, Tottenham. Prizewinners with Sir Graham Rowlandson.*

Below: *HAMMERSMITH HOSPITAL. Miss G. M. Godden, matron, and Dame Enid Russell-Smith with members of the teaching staff and prizewinners.*

Prince of Wales's General Hospital, Tottenham

SIR Graham Rowlandson, M.B.E., J.P., chairman of the health committee, Middlesex County Council, and recently appointed chairman of the North East Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board, presented the awards, from a wheelchair—he is an ex-polio patient who has not allowed this disability to interrupt a career of distinguished public service.

The silver medal was won by Miss M. P. Arnot; Miss P. Costigan won a prize for the best senior ward nurse (also a prize for ear, nose and throat nursing), and Miss E. Hyland for the best junior ward nurse.

Hammersmith Hospital

AT a delightful ceremony Dame Enid Russell-Smith, D.B.E., deputy secretary-elect to the Minister of Health, presented the awards. Miss G. M. Godden, O.B.E., matron, reviewed the satisfactory nursing recruitment position and examination results, also mentioning discussions now proceeding on two experimental training schemes which the hospital hoped to launch. Miss Godden reported that advisory tutors were being appointed to give guidance and advice throughout training to the 400 student nurses.

Dame Enid delighted her audience with a sparkling speech. Beginning with some witty sallies against herself as a civil servant, she turned to the serious side. "You may think that your education is now finished," she told the nurses, "but it has only just begun and will continue through the rest of your lives". One or two principles, Dame Enid suggested, might help to guide them: "Ask yourselves what are the nation's nursing needs. The days are past when nurses need only concern themselves about the patients in their own hospital. They must now organize for the needs of the whole community; a wider organization and wider loyalties are called for". The nursing profession would be called upon to organize itself for the needs which actually presented themselves—and the most urgent needs were not necessarily the most exciting or dramatic. Dame Enid felt convinced that as medicine progressed, the greatest fields of nursing service would lie in geriatric and mental health work—subjects in which there was great scope for development and discovery: "and there is much to be said for entering a sphere in which everything has not already been found out!"

Mrs. B. A. Gilbert (*née* Oldfield) was awarded the gold medal and the jubilee award for nursing; Miss J. Glendinning received the silver medal, and Miss J. S. Dixon the bronze medal.

Left: *SOUTHEND GENERAL HOSPITAL. Third from left in the front row is the Hon. Sir Henry Wynn Parry, who presented the awards. The Saunders silver medallists were Miss B. A. Truckenbrodt and Miss M. G. Dove.*

Right: *GREENOCK ROYAL INFIRMARY. Lady Lithgow (centre) presented the prizes. Miss M. B. Crighton, matron, is seated third from left.*

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS
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UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL
HEADINGTON, OXFORD
STAFF MIDWIVES

Applications are invited from **Staff Midwives** for vacancies in the Part II Midwifery School.

Apply to Matron for further particulars. (87)

ELIZABETH GARRETT ANDERSON HOSPITAL
EUSTON ROAD, LONDON, N.W.1
(Royal Free Hospital Group)

Staff Midwife required for Maternity Unit. 40 Belsize Grove, N.W.3 (27 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Apply to Matron. (110)

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL
DENMARK HILL, S.E.5

Applications are invited for the post of **Staff Midwife,** general and private patients.

Facilities granted for taking the Midwives Teachers' Course.

Apply Matron, giving details of training and experience. (1234)

ROSA MORISON HOUSE
GLOUCESTER ROAD
NEW BARNET, HERTS.
(Branch of the
Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Hospital)

Staff Nurse required for night duty. Resident or non-resident.

Apply to Matron, Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Hospital, Euston Road, London, N.W.1. (112)

NATIONAL HEART HOSPITAL
WESTMORELAND STREET, W.1., AND
MAIDS MORETON, BUCKINGHAM
Post-Graduate Teaching Hospital

Staff Nurses and **State Enrolled Assistant Nurses** required for London and Country Branch Hospitals.

Apply Matron, Westmoreland Street, W.1. (12)

HAMPSTEAD GENERAL HOSPITAL
THE GREEN, HAMPSTEAD
LONDON, N.W.3

Senior Staff Nurse required for Theatre. Experience in all types of general surgery essential.

Apply, stating age, previous experience and with two names for reference, to the Matron. (27)

THE UNITED BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS
THE BIRMINGHAM MATERNITY HOSPITAL
LOVEDAY STREET, BIRMINGHAM, 4

Staff Midwives, S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident required.

Facilities available for attending a course of instruction for Midwife-Teacher Diploma if desirous.

Applications to the Matron. (37)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY

Vacancies exist for **Staff Midwives** in the Part I Midwifery School. Excellent experience gained in all departments.

Please apply to Matron, giving two names for reference purposes. (1850)

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL
PADDINGTON, W.2.

Applications are invited from **Staff Nurses** for duty in the Private Patients' Wing (preferably non-resident).

Salary and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations.

Please send particulars of training, experience, and two names for reference to the Matron. (2138)

ELIZABETH GARRETT ANDERSON HOSPITAL, EUSTON ROAD
LONDON, N.W.1
(Royal Free Hospital Group)

(a) **Staff Nurse** required for Surgical Ward.

(b) **Staff Nurse** required for night duty on a Medical Ward of 30 beds. Resident or non-resident.

Apply to Matron. (2169)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS
THE MATERNITY HOSPITAL AT LEEDS
HYDE TERRACE, LEEDS, 2

Applications are invited for the post of **Staff Midwife.** Resident or non-resident.

Salary in accordance with Whitley Council scale.

Application form and details can be obtained from the Matron. (2219)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL
HEADINGTON, OXFORD
STAFF NURSE—NIGHT OFFICE

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurse, for the post of **Staff Nurse** in the night office of the above hospital.

Further particulars from Matron. (2269)

Banbury and District Hospitals Management Committee
NEITHROP AND PINES HOSPITALS

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** of the above hospitals from State Registered Nurses with suitable experience, and who are State Certified Midwives. The person appointed will be required to deputise for the Matron in her absence. Salary £585 to £685 less deduction of £176 for residence.

The Neithrop Hospital has 108 beds (84 long-stay and 24 maternity) and is the headquarters of an Assistant Nurse Training School. The Pines Hospital is situated nearby and has 37 beds (25 chest and 12 infectious diseases) and is associated with the General Training School of the Horton General Hospital, Banbury.

Application forms may be obtained from the Group Secretary, Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon, and should be returned to him not later than 10th November, 1956. (2367)

DURHAM COUNTY COUNCIL
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Deputy Matron. Resident post at Mother and Baby Hostel, Smelt House, Howden-le-Wear. Should be a registered Nurse—salary £415-£520 less board and lodging charge of £153 p.a.; or Enrolled Assistant Nurse—salary £370-£475 less board and lodging charge of £146.

Forms and particulars from the County Medical Officer, Shire Hall, Durham. Closing date, 17th November, 1956. Canvassing members of the Council is prohibited.

J. K. HOPE,
Clerk of the County Council.
(2423)

United Cambridge Hospitals
ADDENBROOKE'S HOSPITAL, CAMBRIDGE

Vacancy for **Sister Tutor,** due to increase of staff to five.

Apply with full particulars and names for reference, to Matron. (2400)

BIRMINGHAM No. 6 GROUP
HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Principal Tutor required for Rubery Hill (970 beds) and Hollymoor Hospitals (740 beds). Experience in all grades of psychiatric nursing. Four-year combined scheme of training in operation; also 18-months post-registration for S.R.N.s. Two Assistants; number of students in training at present 93. House available.

Applications giving full details and the names and addresses of three referees to be sent to the Group Secretary, Rubery Hill Hospital, Rubery, Birmingham, within 14 days. (2455)

MONYHULL HALL HOSPITAL
KINGS HEATH, BIRMINGHAM, 14

Night Superintendent (woman). Applications are invited for the post of Night Superintendent at this hospital, which provides accommodation for high grade mental defectives and which has attached to it a Residential School for Educationally Sub-Normal Children. Applicants should be qualified mental deficiency or mental nurses and, preferably, possess S.R.N. qualification. The Night Superintendent will be responsible for the female patients and school children.

National Health Service conditions of service. Salary £572 by annual increments to £700, with deduction for board and lodging at present £164 p.a.

Applications stating age, qualifications and experience, with the names of two referees, to be sent to the Medical Superintendent at the above address within 14 days of the appearance of this advertisement. (2421)

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL JERSEY
General Training School for Nurses

Night Sister required (one of three). Previous Ward Sister's experience desirable, but not essential. Vacancy 1st January, 1957. Salary and conditions of service related to the Whitley Council scales.

Applications, giving full particulars of age, religion and experience, together with Matrons' names for reference, should reach Miss M. E. Piper, Matron, as soon as possible. (2144)

HOSPITALS FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST

Applications are invited for the following vacancies:

LONDON CHEST HOSPITAL
LONDON, E.2
(135 beds)
Station—Bethnal Green
(Central London Line)

Theatre Superintendent. With experience in Thoracic and Cardiac Surgery.

State Registered Staff Nurses for one year's post-graduate training for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

Nursing Auxiliaries.

LONDON CHEST HOSPITAL
ARLESEY, BEDS.
Nr. Hitchin and Letchworth
(One hour's journey from London)
(207 beds)

State Registered Staff Nurses for one year's post-graduate training for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

Male Staff Nurses for one year's post-graduate training.

State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

Student Nurses. Two-year course for B.T.A. Certificate. Minimum age 18 years. Salary £265 first year, £275 second year. Deduction of £119 per annum for board residence—£60 service allowance paid on completion of training.

Nursing Auxiliaries.

Excellent facilities for recreation.

Six months Post-graduate Course (certificate granted).

Theoretical and practical experience is offered in Medical and Surgical Nursing in the Tuberculous and non-Tuberculous Thoracic Units, including Cardiac Surgery.

Whitley Council Scale of Salaries and Conditions with Service allowance of £15 on completion of each six months' continuous whole-time Tuberculosis Nursing.

Applications to the Matron at either Hospital. (85)

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL
CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT
PRINCESS LOUISE KENSINGTON HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN
ST. QUINTIN AVE., LONDON, W.
Training School for Sick Children's

Staff Nurses—R.S.C.N. or S.R.N. ... children's experience.

Apply with particulars of training ... perience giving Matron's name for ...

NORTHERN IRELAND HOSPITALS AUTHORITY
ARMAGH CITY HOSPITAL, ARMAGH
THEATRE STAFF NURSE

Applications to the Matron as ... possible.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL
SAMARITAN HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN

Staff Nurses (S.R.N.) required for ... and Wards. Suitable posts for ... logical experience.

Apply with full particulars to the ...

THE UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS
LIVERPOOL MATERNITY HOSPITAL

Vacancy for **Staff Midwife** for district to help with the training of Pupil ... and Medical Students, and also ... sponsible for "Flying Squad Calls".

Applications to Matron, Liverpool ... ity Hospital, Oxford Street, Liverpool ...

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL
LONDON, S.W.1

Male or female **Staff Nurses** required ... **Psychiatric Unit** at The Atkinson ... (Branch) Hospital, Wimbledon. ... or non-resident.

Apply Matron.

ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL
GRAY'S INN ROAD, W.C.1

Staff Midwife required in Maternity ... partment. 70 beds, 48-hour week. ... off per week. Resident or non-resident.

Salary according to Whitley Council ...

Apply to Matron, giving particulars ... and training.

ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL
GRAY'S INN ROAD, W.C.1

Part-time Staff Nurse required ... in the B.M.R. room. Hours 8.30 ... 2.0 p.m. Monday to Friday.

Salary according to Whitley Council ... Apply to Matron, giving particulars ... training and any subsequent experience ...

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL

Nursery Nurses required for ... Nurseries in Surrey.

Salary in accordance with the ... Council for the Health Services.

Applications direct to Nursery ... Children's Department, County Hall ... ston-upon-Thames.

LENNOX CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL
LENNOXTOWN, Nr. GLASGOW

Staff Midwives. R.G.N. and S.C.M. ... dent or non-resident.

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, S.W.1

There are vacancies for two **Staff** ... for the **General Theatres** at St. ... Hospital, S.W.1. Resident or non- ...

Application, with full details of ... and experience, and names of two ... to Matron.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Applications are invited from ... women over the age of 18 years for ... as **Assistant Nurses.**

Training for two years commences ... four weeks practical instruction ... entering the wards.

Salary £240 first year, £250 ... £113 for board, lodging, etc.

Application forms from Matron, Langley Hospital, Leavesden, Nr. ... Herts.

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS
THE GENERAL INFIRMARY AT ...

There are vacancies for **Pupil** ... **Nurses** at the Ida Hospital, a ... pital of the General Infirmary.

Two year training. Allowance ... the first year and £270 for the ... A single cash payment of £5 will ... on obtaining State Enrolment. ... 18 to 40 years.

For further particulars please ... letter to Matron, The General Infirmary ... Leeds.

WESTMINSTER HOSPITAL TEACHING GROUP
ALL SAINTS' HOSPITAL
AUSTRAL STREET WEST SQ...
SOUTHWARK, S.E.11

(Gynaecological and Urological ... **Assistant Nurse,** Female, required ... above Centre.

Please apply, giving two Matrons' ... reference, to Matron, All Saints' ...

EAST ANGLIAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, training, qualifications and experience, and accompanied by copies of two recent testimonials (or the names of two referees) to THE MATRON OF THE HOSPITAL CONCERNED (except where otherwise stated). Salaries and conditions of service in accordance with the appropriate scales.

CAMBRIDGESHIRE AREA

THEATRE SISTERS

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (43 beds). For small busy general theatre, must be able to assist surgeons from Cambridge and Newmarket visiting for weekly sessions. Good post for someone wishing to gain experience or wanting her first senior post. Resident.

SISTER

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (Chronic Sick—124 beds. Maternity Unit of 9 beds). Ward Sister or Staff Nurse for Women's Wards.

MALE CHARGE NURSES

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (Chronic Sick—124 beds. Maternity Unit of 9 beds). For Chronic Sick Ward of 20 beds. Accommodation available for a single person or for qualified married couples. No accommodation for children.

STAFF NURSES

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (43 beds). Required for general acute nursing. Newly registered Nurses wishing to gain experience welcomed.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (43 beds). **For night duty.** Off duty five nights per fortnight.

PAPWORTH HOSPITAL, Cambridge. S.R.N. or T.A. for work on both Medical Wards and Modern Thoracic Surgical Unit. Also Male Nurses, S.R.N. or T.A.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (Chronic Sick—124 beds. Maternity Unit of 9 beds). Staff Nurse or Ward Sister for Women's Wards; also Male and Female Staff Nurses for Chronic Sick Wards of 20 and 21 beds respectively. Accommodation available for a single person or for qualified married couples. No accommodation for children.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES

PAPWORTH HOSPITAL, Cambridge. For T.A. Certificate.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

PAPWORTH HOSPITAL, Cambridge.

ROYSTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, London Road, Royston, Herts. (31 beds). For day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (Chronic Sick—124 beds. Maternity Unit of 9 beds). For day and night duty.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (Chronic Sick—124 beds. Maternity Unit of 9 beds). For Maternity Unit.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (Chronic Sick—124 beds. Maternity Unit of 9 beds). For day and night duty.

WEST SUFFOLK AREA

STAFF NURSES

ISOLATION HOSPITAL, Fordham Road, Exning (12 beds). Staff Nurse, S.R.N. or R.F.N.

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Exning Road, Newmarket (330 beds). Complete General Training School. Male or female for Male Medical Wards. Must be S.R.N. B.T.A. Certificate an advantage.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

ISOLATION HOSPITAL, Fordham Road, Exning (12 beds).

NURSING AUXILIARIES

ISOLATION HOSPITAL, Fordham Road, Exning (12 beds).

EAST SUFFOLK AREA

SISTERS

SUFFOLK CONVALESCENT HOME, Felixstowe (Convalescent—53 beds). Second Sister for busy Convalescent Home, responsible for care and treatment of ambulant patients and to relieve Assistant Matron.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL, HEATH ROAD WING, Ipswich (General—273 beds). Pupils prepared for Part I Examination of the C.B. Vacancies, November, February, May and August.

HUNTINGDONSHIRE AREA

STAFF NURSES

HUNTINGDON COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (63 beds). For Women's Unit of 19 beds.

HUNTINGDON COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (63 beds). For Theatre.

HUNTINGDON COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (63 beds). Staff Nurse for Out-patient and Casualty Departments.

HUNTINGDON COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (63 beds). Staff Nurse for Private Wing and Children's Ward.

NORFOLK AREA

NIGHT SISTER

CROMER AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Mill Road, Cromer (General—52 beds). Junior Night Sister. Busy general hospital. Excellent nurses' home. Seaside location.

SISTERS

KELLING CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, Holt (Non-open cases Tubercle in Children—48 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N. Able to take charge in Matron's absence.

STAFF NURSES

KELLING HOSPITAL, Holt (T.B.—180 beds). Female. S.R.N. Thoracic Surgical Unit. Opportunities available for those wishing to take B.T.A. Certificate.

STAFF MIDWIVES

DRAYTON HALL MATERNITY HOME, Drayton, Norwich (17 beds).

GREAT YARMOUTH AND GORLESTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Dene Side, Great Yarmouth (134 beds).

NURSING AUXILIARIES

KELLING HOSPITAL, Holt (T.B.—180 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

PETERBOROUGH AREA

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Midland Road, Peterborough (Acute—150 beds). Required late November, for a busy hospital. Theatre experience an advantage. Should be interested in the teaching of Student Nurses.

NIGHT SISTERS

ISOLATION HOSPITAL, Fengate, Peterborough (Infectious Diseases—33 beds). Regional Polio Centre. Apply Matron, Memorial Hospital, Peterborough.

SISTERS

ISOLATION HOSPITAL, Fengate, Peterborough (Infectious Diseases—33 beds). Regional Polio Centre. Ward Sister. Apply Matron, Memorial Hospital, Peterborough.

STAFF NURSES

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Midland Road, Peterborough (Acute—150 beds). For Theatre and Ward vacancies occurring December and early January. Good experience available. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

THORPE HALL, Thorpe Road, Peterborough (Pre-Convalescent—23 beds). Two required, full-time. Apply Matron, Memorial Hospital, Peterborough.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

GABLES MATERNTY AND THORPE HALL HOSPITALS, Peterborough (60 beds). One for day duty and one for night duty. Apply Matron, Gables Maternity Hospital.

STAFF MIDWIVES

GABLES MATERNTY AND THORPE HALL HOSPITALS, Peterborough (60 beds). Apply Matron, Gables Maternity Hospital, Peterborough.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

Applications are invited for Student Nurses at the following hospitals. Training allowances and conditions of service are in accordance with the Whitley Council scales. Applications to the Matron of the hospital concerned.

HUNTINGDON COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (63 beds). For General Training.

UNITED IPSWICH HOSPITALS TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES, IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL (ANGLESEA ROAD WING and HEATH ROAD WING) (General—636 beds). Joint training for male and female Nurses. Candidates are accepted for 3½ years' joint training at the above school. The preliminary course commences at the beginning of January, May and September each year. Study day system of training in operation. Wide range of practical nursing experience available. Applications to Matron of either wing of the Ipswich and East Suffolk Hospital.

SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

Applications are invited for the following appointments, which should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training and experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), to the Matron (NT/SW) of the appropriate Hospital, from whom also further details may be obtained Salaries are in accordance with the scales of the Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council or other appropriate National scales.

A list of all hospitals in the region which are recognised Training Schools for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses and Pupil Midwives will be sent on application to the Secretary (S.2), 11a, Portland Place, London, W.1.

POST GRADUATE COURSES

ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON, SURREY (711 beds). Training for B.T.A. Certificate in affiliation with Midhurst Sanatorium. Non-resident male and resident or non-resident female students considered. Vacancies November and May.

NETHERNE HOSPITAL, COULSDON, SURREY (2,026 beds). Male and female State Registered Nurses for 18 months' post-graduate training course for entry to the Mental Register of the G.N.C. Apply to Matron or Chief Male Nurse.

HOLLOWAY SANATORIUM, VIRGINIA WATER, SURREY (355 male beds. 380 female beds). S.R.N.s for 18 months' post-registration psychiatric training. Accommodation in nurses' home or male nurses' hostel. Apply to Matron or Chief Male Nurse.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON, SURREY (611 beds). Post-registration Student Nurses or for refresher courses in accordance with recommendations of the General Nursing Council for England and Wales. Shortened period of training for candidates already on the Supplementary Register of the G.N.C.

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, CROYDON (200 beds). Post-graduate Students welcomed for periods of reduced training.

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (627 beds). S.R.N. for post-graduate course of training in the Ear, Nose and Throat Department. Candidates prepared for Midland Institute of Otology Certificate. Also S.R.N. for six months' post-graduate course in the Department of Plastic and Oral Surgery and 12 months' post-graduate training in general and special theatres. Vacancies occur on 1st January, 1st April, 1st July and 1st October.

ROFFEY PARK REHABILITATION CENTRE, HORSHAM, SUSSEX. S.R.N. or R.M.P.N. or R.M.N. Post-graduate diploma of one year's duration in psychiatry. Lectures by senior medical staff. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH WEST LONDON

SISTER TUTORS

BOLINGBROKE HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.11 (General—135 beds). **Sister Tutor in sole charge** of Combined Preliminary Training School. Bolingbroke and Battersea General Hospitals. Resident.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—530 beds). Study day system of training. Resident or non-resident.

FULHAM HOSPITAL, ST. DUNSTAN'S ROAD, HAMMERSMITH, W.6 (403 beds). Two required, one to take charge of Preliminary Training School. Resident or non-resident.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—530 beds). Resident.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Chronic Sick with Orthopaedic Wards and Theatre Orthopaedic work.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—530 beds). **Theatre Superintendent.** Resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

LAMBETH HOSPITAL, BROOK DRIVE, S.E.11 (486 beds). Second Theatre Sister.

NELSON HOSPITAL, KINGSTON ROAD, S.W.20 (121 beds). Experienced Theatre Sister—immediate vacancy.

SISTERS

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—530 beds). Ward Sister. Relief duties, day or night. Resident or non-resident.

LAMBETH HOSPITAL, BROOK DRIVE, S.E.11 (486 beds). One for night duty and one for day duty.

BOLINGBROKE HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.11 (General—135 beds). Second Sister for night duty.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). **Ward Sister** for Chronic Sick Ward.

WOODLANDS, DEVONSHIRE ROAD, S.W.19. Pleasant female Geriatric Unit of 22 beds. Good residential accommodation. Apply to Matron, St. Helier Hospital, Carshalton, Surrey.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—530 beds). For Theatre, Ophthalmic, Medical, Surgical. Special experience in Premature Baby Unit, if required. Resident or non-resident.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Chronic Sick Ward.

BOLINGBROKE HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.11 (General—135 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards; also one for night duty.

NORWOOD HOSPITAL, HERMITAGE ROAD, S.E.19 (General—38 beds).

LAMBETH HOSPITAL, BROOK DRIVE, S.E.11 (486 beds). For General Wards; and for night duty, full-time (five nights off per fortnight). Also for Theatre.

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, S.W.9 (300 beds). Staff Nurses for Geriatric Wards—Training School for Assistant Nurses.

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL, CLAPHAM COMMON, S.W.4 (250 beds). For day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, ST. GEORGE'S CIRCUS, S.E.1 (50 beds). For Theatre.

SOUTH WEST LONDON—Contd.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Chronic Sick Ward.

SUPERINTENDENT-MIDWIFE

NELSON HOSPITAL, KINGSTON ROAD, S.W.20 (121 beds). Resident. With Midwifery Teaching Certificate Part I. Unit of 40 beds.

STAFF MIDWIVES

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL, CLAPHAM COMMON, S.W.4 (250 beds).

LAMBETH HOSPITAL, BROOK DRIVE, S.E.11 (486 beds. Maternity 74 beds). Experience in Premature Baby Unit.

WANDSWORTH GROUP MATERNITY UNIT (St. James' and Weir Hospitals, S.W.12) (Part I Training School—89 beds). Resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron, St. James' Hospital, Balham, S.W.12.

NELSON HOSPITAL, KINGSTON ROAD, S.W.20 (121 beds). General hospital. Part I Training School.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

WANDSWORTH GROUP MATERNITY UNIT (St. James' and Weir Hospitals, S.W.12) (Part I Training School—89 beds). November and February intake. Resident or non-resident. Applications to St. James' Hospital, Balham, S.W.12.

LAMBETH HOSPITAL, BROOK DRIVE, S.E.11 (486 beds. Maternity 74 beds).

NELSON HOSPITAL, KINGSTON ROAD, S.W.20 (121 beds). For Part I training.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

NORWOOD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HERMITAGE ROAD, S.E.19 (General—38 beds).

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Chronic Sick Wards.

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, S.W.9 (300 beds). Training School for Assistant Nurses.

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL, CLAPHAM COMMON, S.W.4 (250 beds). Day or night duty. Full or part-time.

ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, ST. GEORGE'S CIRCUS, S.E.1 (50 beds).

ST. BENEDICT'S HOSPITAL, CHURCH LANE, S.W.17 (Chronic Sick and Rehabilitation—301 beds). Resident or non-resident.

JEWISH HOME OF REST, BIRCHLANDS AVENUE, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.12 (Chronic Sick—24 beds). Non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Chronic Sick Wards.

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, S.W.9 (300 beds). Training School for Assistant Nurses.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

NORWOOD HOSPITAL, HERMITAGE ROAD, S.E.19 (General—38 beds).

SURREY

THE ROWLEY BRISTOW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL PYRFORD, Nr. WOKING

(200 beds)

ASSISTANT MATRON

Applications are invited for the above post. Applicants must be State Registered Nurses with orthopaedic and administrative experience (possession of the Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate an advantage). Salary in accordance with the Whitley Council scale.

Applications, which must include the names of three referees, should be sent to the Matron.

QUEEN MARY'S HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN CARSHALTON

(853 beds)

WARD SISTER required for Acute Surgical Ward containing small eye unit. Must be R.S.C.N. and S.R.N.

Applications in writing to Matron.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY

(430 beds)

THEATRE STAFF NURSE required. Vacancy shortly in busy general theatre. Good all-round experience. Hospital in country surroundings, 23 miles from London (Waterloo, three-quarters of an hour).

Apply to Matron.

SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

SURREY—Contd.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CROYDON (200 beds). Senior of three. Good experience in busy hospital. London and South Coast within easy reach. Resident or non-resident.
ROYAL HOSPITAL, RICHMOND. S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.
ROYAL SURREY COUNTY HOSPITAL, GUILDFORD (232 beds).
EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM (333 beds).

HOME SISTERS

FARNHAM HOSPITAL, HALE ROAD, FARNHAM (Mainly Acute—178 beds). Complete General Training School. Assistant Home Sister.

NIGHT SISTERS

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, CROYDON (200 beds). To relieve Night Superintendent.
QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). To work as one of four with Night Superintendent.
CATERHAM AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, CROYDON ROAD, CATERHAM (56 beds). In sole charge. Surgical Unit of 24 beds.
ST. ANNE'S, REDHILL (65 beds). For Chronic Sick Ward.
EAST SURREY HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY ROAD, REDHILL (139 beds). One of three.
THE ROWLEY BRISTOW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, PYRFORD, WOKING (200 beds). Second Night Sister.
EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM (333 beds). Senior Night Sister. Also Night Sister with some theatre experience.
ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON (711 beds). Two vacancies. Resident or non-resident. Good experience and facilities.

THEATRE SISTERS

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds). Applications to Principal Matron.
CATERHAM AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, CROYDON ROAD, CATERHAM (56 beds). Surgical Unit of 24 beds.
CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, CROYDON (200 beds). Theatre Sister, with experience, for night duty.
ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON (711 beds). Own theatre. Working under a Theatre Superintendent. Excellent experience.

SISTERS

EAST SURREY HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY ROAD, REDHILL (139 beds). Ward Sister for Private Patients' Annexe.
OXTED AND LIMPSFIELD COTTAGE HOSPITAL, EASTLANDS WAY, OXTED (40 beds). One for ward duty, but theatre experience essential; also one for Private Block—8 beds.
MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). Sister, interested in the teaching of Student Nurses, to give demonstrations and supervision in practical nursing at ward level. Resident or non-resident.
QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). Sisters to work with Departmental Sisters and Night Superintendent. Applicants wishing particularly to do night duty should state this in their application.
THE ROWLEY BRISTOW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, PYRFORD, WOKING (200 beds). Sisters, first and second point on salary scale. Facilities for taking O.N.C. Also Sister for Children's Ward. O.N.C. essential.
RED ROSES HOSPITAL, PINE GROVE, WEYBRIDGE (12 beds). Ward Sister.
COMERAGH COURT CONVALESCENT HOME, WOKING (Male T.B.—24 beds). Ward Sister. T.A. Certificate. Ward and administrative duties.
SCHIFF HOME OF RECOVERY, KNOWLE HILL PARK, COBHAM (84 beds). Ward Sister for relief duties.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). Two required for approximately six months. Applications considered for shorter or longer periods.
THE ROWLEY BRISTOW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, PYRFORD, WOKING (200 beds).
DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds). Ward Sister.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

GODSTONE I.D. HOSPITAL, BLETCHINGLEY (36 beds).
REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds). For Theatre and for General Ward. Applications to Principal Matron.
DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds). For Theatre and for General Wards.
EAST SURREY HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY ROAD, REDHILL (139 beds). For Private Patients' Annexe.
CATERHAM AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, CROYDON ROAD, CATERHAM (56 beds). For Surgical Unit of 24 beds.
ST. ANNE'S, REDHILL (65 beds). For Chronic Sick Ward.
WADDON HOSPITAL, PURLEY WAY, CROYDON (Partly Acute—179 beds). Staff Nurses, resident or non-resident, inc. one for Male T.B. Wards of 22 beds. Good working conditions. Free travelling facilities to and from Central Croydon.
PURLEY HOSPITAL, BRIGHTON ROAD, PURLEY. For night duty.
MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). Senior Staff Nurses and also Staff Nurses recently State Registered, who wish further their experience in gynaecological or children's nursing; or Midwifery Department. All posts resident or non-resident.
QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). S.R.N. accepted for short periods, e.g., between first and second part of midwifery training.
CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CROYDON (200 beds). For Ophthalmic Wards—good ophthalmic experience would be considered; for Theatre Unit of two theatres—day and/or night duty; for busy Casualty Dept.—day or night duty; and for Medical and Surgical Wards, day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.
THAMES DITTON HOSPITAL, WESTON GREEN ROAD, THAMES DITTON (36 beds). Full-time. Resident. Apply immediately.
CLAREMONT HOSPITAL, ST. JAMES ROAD, SURBITON. Staff Nurses for day and night duty, full or part-time. Resident or non-resident. General practitioner hospital. Varied, interesting work.
WOKING VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING (72 beds). Staff Nurses including one for Private Patients' Annexe (Acute—12 beds).
WEYBRIDGE HOSPITAL, CHURCH STREET, WEYBRIDGE (43 beds). For day and night duty. Also one for theatre. Resident or non-resident.
ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY (430 beds). S.R.N.s for busy wards and general nurse training school. Hospital in country surroundings, 23 miles from London.

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STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Continued

EGHAM HOSPITAL, ST. JUDE'S ROAD, ENGLEFIELD GREEN, EGHAM (16 beds).
OTTERSHAW HOSPITAL, MURRAY ROAD, OTTERSHAW, CHERTSEY (62 beds). With fever experience. Resident or non-resident.
FRIMLEY AND CAMBERLEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, FRIMLEY, Nr. ALDERSHOT (Acute—38 beds, including 7 Maternity). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.
ROWLEY BRISTOW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, PYRFORD, WOKING (200 beds).
CUDDINGTON HOSPITAL, BANSTEAD (126 beds). S.R.N. or R.F.N. for Convalescent, Fever and Female Geriatric Wards.
EWELL PARK HOSPITAL, EWELL PARK WAY, LONDON ROAD, EWELL (Male Chronic Sick—70 beds). Full or part-time. Apply Matron, Epsom District Hospital.
EPSOM AND EWELL COTTAGE HOSPITAL, ALEXANDRA ROAD, EPSOM (40 beds). **Vacancy 1st December.**
KING GEORGE V HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST, GODALMING (232 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.
HASLEMERE AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HASLEMERE (82 beds). Combined Training School. S.R.N. for relief duties. Resident or non-resident.
ROYAL SURREY COUNTY HOSPITAL, GUILDFORD (232 beds). For General and Children's Wards.
SUTTON AND CHEAM HOSPITAL, COTSWOLD ROAD, SUTTON (146 beds). Theatre Staff Nurse, S.R.N.; also Staff Nurse for night duty, S.R.N.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). S.R.N. Two vacancies only.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Maternity Unit of 80 beds; Part I Training School for the Examination of the C.M.B. Labour Ward. Mother and infant experience in turn. Candidates interested in post-graduate courses receive special consideration. Resident or non-resident.
REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds). Applications to Principal Matron.
WINDLESHAM MATERNITY HOME, HATTON HILL, WINDLESHAM (16 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.
WOKING MATERNITY HOSPITAL, HEATHSIDE ROAD, WOKING. Part II Midwifery Training School (54 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds). Part I Training School. Applications to Principal Matron.
DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds).
ST. MARY'S MATERNITY HOSPITAL, ST. JAMES' ROAD, WEST CROYDON (33 beds). Part II Training School.
MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Busy up-to-date unit, Labour Ward, mother and infant experience in turn. Candidates interested in post-graduate courses receive special consideration. Resident or non-resident.
HASLEMERE AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HASLEMERE (Combined Training School—82 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Excellent experience with deliveries. Resident or non-resident.
ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, GUILDFORD (392 beds. Maternity—54 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Part I Midwifery Training School.
FRIMLEY AND CAMBERLEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, FRIMLEY, Nr. ALDERSHOT (Acute—38 beds, including 7 maternity beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.
WINDLESHAM MATERNITY HOME, HATTON HILL, WINDLESHAM (16 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.
WOKING MATERNITY HOSPITAL, HEATHSIDE ROAD, WOKING. Part II Midwifery Training School (54 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.
ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON (711 beds). Two vacancies. Unit has 105 beds. Premature Baby Unit and Milk Room. Part I Training School.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

ST. ANNE'S, REDHILL (65 beds). For Chronic Sick Ward.
REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds). Applications to Principal Matron.
DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds).
MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). For Chest and Chronic Wards. Resident or non-resident.
CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, CROYDON (200 beds). Wards and departments—day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.
WADDON HOSPITAL, PURLEY WAY, CROYDON (Partly Acute—179 beds). S.E.A.N.s, resident or non-resident. Good working conditions. Free travelling facilities to and from Central Croydon.
QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). Applicants taken awaiting enrolment.
CUDDINGTON HOSPITAL, BANSTEAD (126 beds). For Female Geriatric Ward.
HASLEMERE AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HASLEMERE (Combined Training School—82 beds). For ward and theatre duties. Resident or non-resident.
EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM (333 beds).
EWELL PARK HOSPITAL, EWELL PARK WAY, LONDON ROAD, EWELL (Male Chronic Sick—70 beds). Apply Matron, Epsom District Hospital.
FRIMLEY AND CAMBERLEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, FRIMLEY, Nr. ALDERSHOT (Acute—38 beds including 7 maternity). Resident or non-resident.
KING GEORGE V HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST, GODALMING (232 beds). Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.
ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, UPPER BRIGHTON ROAD, SURBITON (30 beds).
ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY (430 beds). For General Wards in busy hospital, 23 miles from London.
WINDLESHAM MATERNITY HOME, HATTON HILL, WINDLESHAM (16 beds). Resident or non-resident.
WOKING VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING (72 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds).
DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds).

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SURREY—Contd.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

WADDON HOSPITAL, PURLEY WAY, CROYDON (Partly Acute—179 beds). Full or part-time for new Geriatric Ward of 22 beds. Part-time specially required for evenings up to 8 p.m.; week-ends, Saturdays and Sunday; and night duty—minimum, two nights weekly. Good working conditions. Free travelling facilities to and from Central London.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). Full-time. Applicants for training can be employed as Auxiliaries until entry into Training School.

FRIMLEY AND CAMBERLEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, FRIMLEY, Nr. ALDERSHOT (Acute—38 beds, including 7 maternity). Resident or non-resident.

HAMPSHIRE

SAINT MARY'S HOSPITAL
MILTON ROAD, PORTSMOUTH
General Training School
(700 beds)

QUALIFIED SISTER TUTOR. One of four working under the Principal Tutor. Block system of training.
THEATRE SISTER Modern Twin Theatre Suite.
WARD SISTER. Good Medical Ward experience.
All posts resident or non-resident.
Applications to Matron.

ROYAL PORTSMOUTH HOSPITAL
COMMERCIAL ROAD, PORTSMOUTH
General Training School
(254 beds)

WARD SISTER for Acute Medical Ward. Resident or non-resident. Vacant now.
Applications to Matron.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

SOUTHAMPTON CHEST HOSPITAL, OAKLEY ROAD, MILLBROOK, SOUTHAMPTON (261 beds). **Departmental Theatre Sister.** S.R.N. Pulmonary, oesophageal and cardiac surgery.

ROYAL SOUTH HANTS HOSPITAL, FANSHAWE STREET, SOUTHAMPTON (278 beds). S.R.N. Duties include care and supervision of nurses' homes and administrative duties in Matron's office. Post suitable for one who wishes to gain experience before taking a senior nursing administrative post. Applications giving personal details to Matron.

NIGHT SISTERS

FORDINGBRIDGE COTTAGE HOSPITAL, FORDINGBRIDGE (28 beds). Sole charge. S.R.N., S.C.M. To undertake all night deliveries. Resident or non-resident.

LYMINGTON INFIRMARY, LYMINGTON (60 beds). S.R.N. In sole charge—Geriatric Unit. Apply Matron, Lymington Hospital.

ROYAL PORTSMOUTH HOSPITAL, COMMERCIAL ROAD, PORTSMOUTH (254 beds). **Second Night Sister,** to commence duty as soon as possible. Resident or non-resident.

HAVANT WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, CROSSWAY, HAVANT (23 beds). **In sole charge.** Vacant 1st November, 1956.

SISTERS

LYMINGTON INFIRMARY, NEW STREET, LYMINGTON (60 beds). S.R.N. for Geriatric Unit. Applications to Lymington Hospital, Lymington.

LYMINGTON HOSPITAL, LYMINGTON (95 beds). Second Theatre Sister. S.R.N. Theatre experience.

ROYAL SOUTH HANTS HOSPITAL, FANSHAWE STREET, SOUTHAMPTON (278 beds). For Operating Theatre—knowledge of orthopaedic surgery. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

ROYAL SOUTH HANTS HOSPITAL, FANSHAWE STREET, SOUTHAMPTON. Applications are invited from trained Nurses (resident or non-resident) who wish to gain experience in one or more of the following departments:

1. Radium and Radiotherapy Unit including Out-patients' Department.
2. Orthopaedic Unit, including Out-patients' Department.
3. Operating Theatre: not modern but where interesting experience is available.
4. General Out-patient and Casualty Department.
5. Ophthalmic Wards and Out-patients' Department.

Further details may be obtained from Matron.

SOUTHAMPTON CHEST HOSPITAL, OAKLEY ROAD, MILLBROOK, SOUTHAMPTON (261 beds). S.R.N.s for B.T.A. training.

LYMINGTON HOSPITAL, LYMINGTON (95 beds). S.R.N.

LYMINGTON INFIRMARY, LYMINGTON (60 beds). S.R.N. for Geriatric Unit. Apply Matron, Lymington Hospital.

SOUTHAMPTON EYE HOSPITAL, WILTON AVENUE, SOUTHAMPTON (33 beds). S.R.N. Ophthalmic Certificate or experience desirable. Resident or non-resident. Apply Matron, Royal South Hants Hospital, Southampton.

FARNBOROUGH AND COVE WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, ALBERT ROAD, FARNBOROUGH (Acute—34 beds, including 12 Maternity). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

NORTHFIELD HOSPITAL, REDAN ROAD, ALDERSHOT (Isolation—24 cubicle beds. Acute Medical and Post-operative—14 beds).

KING GEORGE'S SANATORIUM FOR SAILORS, BRAMSHOTT PLACE, LIPHOOK (78 beds). S.R.N. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

BOURNEMOUTH CHILDREN'S UNIT, CHRISTCHURCH HOSPITAL, CHRISTCHURCH. S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. for Medical Unit of 34 beds.

CHRISTCHURCH HOSPITAL, CHRISTCHURCH (259 beds). S.R.N.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

LYMINGTON INFIRMARY, LYMINGTON (60 beds). S.R.N. for Geriatric Unit. Apply Matron, Lymington Hospital.

HAMPSHIRE—Contd.

STAFF MIDWIVES

FARNBOROUGH AND COVE WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, ALBERT ROAD, FARNBOROUGH (Acute—34 beds, including 12 Maternity). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

KING GEORGE'S SANATORIUM FOR SAILORS, BRAMSHOTT PLACE, LIPHOOK (78 beds). Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

LYMINGTON INFIRMARY, LYMINGTON (60 beds). For Geriatric Unit. Apply Matron, Lymington Hospital.

FRED WOOLLEY HOUSE, UPPER BASSETT, SOUTHAMPTON (48 beds). Resident or non-resident. Apply Matron, Royal South Hants Hospital, Southampton.

WINCHFIELD HOSPITAL, Nr. BASINGSTOKE. Applications from married couples considered. The hospital is within one hour of Waterloo.

CHRISTCHURCH HOSPITAL, CHRISTCHURCH (259 beds).

FIRS SANATORIUM, TRINITY ROAD, BOURNEMOUTH (34 beds). Resident.

NORTHFIELD HOSPITAL, REDAN ROAD, ALDERSHOT (Isolation—24 cubicle beds. Acute Medical and Post-operative—14 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

KING GEORGE'S SANATORIUM FOR SAILORS, BRAMSHOTT PLACE, LIPHOOK (78 beds). Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

WEST SUSSEX

WORTHING HOSPITAL
LYNDHURST ROAD, WORTHING, SUSSEX
(Acute General—210 beds)

STUDENT NURSES. Young ladies of good education required for three years training in general nursing. S.E.A.N.s and candidates on the Supplementary Register accepted for a reduced period of training. Four, 12-week Preliminary Training School Courses are held each year. In addition, suitable candidates over the age of 25 years are welcome. Full details can be obtained from the Matron.
STAFF MIDWIVES for Maternity Unit of 14 beds. Good post-graduate experience. Resident or non-resident.
STAFF NURSE for Women's Acute Medical Ward. Resident or non-resident.
Applications to Matron.

SWANDEAN HOSPITAL
ARUNDEL ROAD, WORTHING
(Isolation and Geriatric—84 beds)

STAFF NURSES and **STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES** required at the above hospital. The hospital is situated at the foot of the South Downs, with bus services from the gates to the station and pier. Facilities include television, tennis, a beach hut in the summer months, Dunlopillo mattresses and hot and cold water in all bedrooms.
Applications to the Matron.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds). For Wards or Theatre.

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL (COUNTRY BRANCH), WOODHURST, PEASE POTTAGE, CRAWLEY (50 beds). Day or night duty.

ROFFEY PARK REHABILITATION CENTRE, HORSHAM. S.R.N., R.M.P.N. or R.M.N. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

CHICHESTER I.D. HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (16 beds).

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds).

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL (COUNTRY BRANCH), WOODHURST, PEASE POTTAGE, CRAWLEY (50 beds). For day and night duty. Full or part-time.

CRAWLEY & DISTRICT HOSPITAL, IFIELD ROAD, CRAWLEY (20 beds). Full and part-time, for day duty.

HORSHAM HOSPITAL, HURST ROAD, HORSHAM (75 beds).

WILTSHIRE

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL
ODSTOCK BRANCH
(627 beds)

STAFF NURSES (three). S.R.N. and experience in oral surgery. Required immediately.
Apply to Matron.

SISTER TUTOR

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (627 beds). In charge of Preliminary Training School. Resident post. Required immediately. Applications to Matron, Salisbury General Infirmary.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY. General Infirmary Branch (166 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Required immediately. Busy, acute general hospital. Should have good Ward Sisters' experience.

NIGHT SISTERS

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (627 beds). S.R.N. **Newbridge Branch** (Geriatric hospital—90 beds). Immediate vacancy.

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WILTSHIRE—Contd.

THEATRE SISTERS

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (627 beds). **Two required.** For Odstock Branch. S.R.N. with good theatre experience. Gynaecological, orthopaedic, children's and plastic and oral surgery. To work with Theatre Superintendent. Also Theatre Sister for **General Infirmary Branch.** Busy General Theatre. Post vacant end of December. Apply Salisbury General Infirmary.

STAFF NURSES

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL (627 beds). General Training School. Preferably holding Orthopaedic Certificate. Required in Orthopaedic Out-patients' Department to be opened shortly.

MIDWIFERY SISTER

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (627 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Part II Midwifery School.

DORSET

SISTERS

NORTH ALLINGTON HOSPITAL, BRIDPORT (T.B.—22 beds). Ward Sister. S.R.N. T.B. experience desirable. Resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

PORTWEY HOSPITAL, WEYMOUTH (123 beds) (Part of General Training School). S.R.N. for Operating Theatre. Preferably resident. Orthopaedics and gynaecology only.

STAFF MIDWIVES

PORTWEY HOSPITAL, WEYMOUTH (123 beds) (Part II Midwifery School). Two S.C.M.s. Excellent experience. Premature Baby Unit. Very pleasant nurses' home, or may be non-resident.

BRIDPORT GENERAL HOSPITAL, BRIDPORT (30 beds). S.C.M. Apply Matron, Dorset County Hospital, Dorchester.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

ASSISTANT MATRONS

BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (1,550 female beds). Qualified Mental Nurse, with S.R.N. preferred.

HOME SISTERS

WARLINGHAM PARK HOSPITAL, WARLINGHAM, SURREY. Residential accommodation available. Applications to Group Secretary at the hospital.

NIGHT SISTERS

NETHERNE HOSPITAL, COULSDON, SURREY (2,026 beds). Must be qualified Mental Nurse and preference will be given to applicants with general training. To work under Night Superintendent. Separate sisters' home, or non-resident if required.

WARD SISTERS

TOOTING BEC HOSPITAL, TOOTING BEC ROAD, LONDON, S.W.17.
BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (1,550 female beds).
LONG GROVE HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (1,100 beds). R.M.P.A. or R.M.N. Progressive hospital. All modern treatments carried out.

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

COLDEAST HOSPITAL, SARISBURY GREEN, SOUTHAMPTON (620 beds). State Registered in mental or mental deficiency nursing. To carry out duties in any one of the detached blocks at the hospital, i.e., high, medium or low grade. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Physician Superintendent.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). Preferably S.R.N., R.M.N. Small unit of 6 beds for patients on Order and Out-patient Clinics, E.C.T., etc. Resident or non-resident.
LONG GROVE HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (1,100 female beds). R.M.P.A. or S.R.M.N. Progressive hospital. All modern treatments carried out. Application forms from Matron.
BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (1,550 female beds).
WEST PARK HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (1,285 female beds).
COLDEAST HOSPITAL, SARISBURY GREEN, SOUTHAMPTON (620 beds). State Registered in mental or mental deficiency nursing. To carry out duties in any one of the detached blocks at the hospital, i.e., high, medium or low grade. Resident or non-resident. **Applications to Physician Superintendent.**

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (850 male beds). Apply Chief Male Nurse.
WEST PARK HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (1,090 male beds).
MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON, SURREY (611 beds). Modern Psychiatric Unit. Six beds for patients under observation and Out-patients' Clinics. Non-resident.
ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Mental Observation Unit.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Female Mental Observation Unit.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Male Mental Observation Unit.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING AND PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSE TRAINING

There are vacancies for (A) STUDENT NURSES and (B) PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES at the undermentioned hospitals and applications are invited from women (and where indicated from men), aged 18-30 years, to take the course of three years' general training for State Registration. The course for PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES is of two years' duration. An allowance of between £260 and £285 a year is payable during training, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Additional single cash payment of £5 (A) on passing Preliminary State Examination or (B) on completion of training and passing the test for enrolment. Four weeks' paid leave each year. For full details please apply to the Matron of the hospital concerned.

(A) STUDENT NURSES

BATTERSEA GENERAL HOSPITAL, BATTERSEA PARK, S.W.11 (General—79 beds). Next school commences December, 1956.

BOLINGBROKE HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.11 (General—135 beds). Next school commences December, 1956.

PUTNEY HOSPITAL, LOWER COMMON, S.W.15 (General—106 beds). Next school commences January, 1957.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—530 beds). Female, resident. Male, non-resident. January and April schools.

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds). For Preliminary Training School commencing January, April and September, 1957.

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CROYDON, SURREY (General—200 beds). For January school. Block system of training.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). Training School for Nurses. There are vacancies for the Preliminary Training School commencing in October, 1956. Resident or non-resident. Applications also welcomed from Male Nurses, R.M.N., for general training. Shortened period in accordance with the ruling of the General Nursing Council.

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM, SURREY (333 beds).

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY, SURREY (430 beds). Vacancies for candidates with good standard of education. Busy hospital in country surroundings, 23 miles from London. Entry dates: 31st December, 1956, 1st April and 1st July, 1957. Shortened courses for Nurses on Supplementary Registers.

WOKING VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING, SURREY (72 beds). Affiliated training. Vacancies January, 1957, school.

ROYAL SOUTH HANTS HOSPITAL, SOUTHAMPTON (278 beds). The curriculum of training covers a period of three years. A good standard of education is required. Block system of training is in force. Candidates on a Supplementary Register are accepted for a shortened period of training. Brochure and further particulars may be obtained from Matron.

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL (627 beds). Training School for General Register (male and female). Vacancies occur in the Preliminary Training School in January, April, July and October, each year.

(B) PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with Tuberculosis, Orthopaedic and Mental Observation). Good experience Geriatric Unit. All lectures given by qualified Sister Tutor. **Female:** resident; separate bedrooms. **Male:** non-resident.

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING, SURREY (252 beds). **Male and female.**

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). **Female** (pupils eligible to take reduced training accepted). Also male P.A.N.s.

CUDDINGTON HOSPITAL, BANSTEAD, SURREY (126 beds). Good practical experience in nursing children, geriatrics and convalescent patients. Modern nurses' home.

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM, SURREY (333 beds).

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds). Preliminary Training School commencing November, 1956.

SWANDEAN HOSPITAL, ARUNDEL ROAD, WORTHING, SUSSEX (Training School for Assistant Nurses). Applications are invited from young ladies over the age of 18 years for two years training as State Enrolled Assistant Nurses. Practical instruction is also received at Arundel and Littlehampton Hospitals. The hospital is situated at the foot of the South Downs, with bus services from the gates to the station and pier. Facilities include television, tennis, a beach hut in the summer months, Dunlopillo mattresses and hot and cold water in all bedrooms.

STUDENT MENTAL NURSE TRAINING

There are vacancies for Student Nurses at the following hospitals with allowances on entry into training of £305 at age 18, £315 at age 19, £330 at age 20, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. At age 21 or over, Training Allowances are between £390 and £420 less £144 for board, lodging, etc. £40 proficiency allowance payable on passing Preliminary Examination and £50 on passing Final Examination.

HOLLOWAY SANATORIUM, VIRGINIA WATER, SURREY (380 female beds, 274 male beds). **Female** for four-year combined Mental and General training with St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington. Applications to Matron. **Male** for three year course in psychiatric nursing, also four year combined course for entry to General and Mental Register in conjunction with West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth. Applications to Chief Male Nurse.

WEST PARK HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (1,285 female beds; 1,090 male beds). Training in psychiatric nursing for admission to the General Nursing Council's Register of Mental Nurses.

LONG GROVE HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (2,245 beds). Applications to Matron (women) or Chief Male Nurse (men).

NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

North and West London, Bedfordshire and parts of Middlesex, Hertfordshire, Berkshire and Buckinghamshire

Applications are invited for the following appointments which should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), TO THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, unless otherwise stated, from whom further details may be obtained. National salary scales apply.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

ASSISTANT MATRONS

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (Acute—206 beds). Res. Salary £590 x £20 (5)—£690 less £176 p.a. for residential accommodation. **Further information and forms of application from Group Secretary, Bedford Group H.M.C. 3 Kimbolton Rd., Bedford.**

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,066 beds). Res. Administrative experience essential.

SISTER TUTORS

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (206 beds). Res. or non-res. Qualified or non-qualified. To work under Principal Sister Tutor. Modern Teaching Department.

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Maidenhead, Berks. (General — 332 beds). Res. Qualified or unqualified. Block system of training.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, London, W.9 (General—582 beds). **Female,** res. or non-res. Qualified. Study day system of nursing education.

TUTORS (FEMALE)

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. To assist Principal Sister Tutor. Block system of training.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,066 beds). Res. or non-res.

HOUSEKEEPING SISTER

Bedfordshire Sanatorium, Mogerhanger Park, Nr. Bedford (88 beds). Res.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Some Nurses' Home duties and office relief. Post offers excellent opportunities in nursing administration.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER (Departmental Sister Grade)

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, London, W.9 (General—582 beds). Res. or non-res.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (206 beds). Res. or non-res.

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Maidenhead, Berks. (General—332 beds). Res.

Edgware General Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex (715 beds). S.R.N. Res. or non-res. The hospital is a general training school for male and female nurses and is situated in pleasant grounds within easy reach of the centre of London. Applications in writing to the Matron.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Old Windsor Unit.

NIGHT SISTERS

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (Mainly Acute —233 beds). Res. or non-res. Junior Night Sister.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—450 beds). Res. or non-res. Service Allowance £15 every six months.

NIGHT SISTERS—Contd.

Edgware General Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex (A large modern hospital with a comfortable Nurses' Home situated in pleasant grounds within easy reach of the centre of London—715 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. Applications to be made in writing to Matron.

Glebe House, Hadley Common, Barnet, Herts. (A Geriatric Unit—24 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. Applicants must be interested in this type of nursing. **Applications in writing, to Matron, Edgware General Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex.**

Hillingdon Hospital, Uxbridge, Middx. (General—621 beds). **ONE,** S.R.N., R.S.C.N. for Children's Unit, and **ONE** Junior, S.R.N. and preferably Part I C.M.B.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, London, W.10 (General — 581 beds). Res. or non-res.

Upton Hospital, Slough, Bucks. (General—211 beds). Res. or non-res. One of three.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,066 beds). Res. or non-res.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res.

Midwifery Unit, St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (Part II Training School—41 beds). Res. or non-res. For Ante-natal and Post-natal Clinics.

Queen Mary Maternity Unit (West Middlesex Hospital), Isleworth, Middx. (100 beds, 80 cots, 15 premature cots). Res. or non-res. Junior.

THEATRE SISTERS

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet Herts. (Chest Hospital—450 beds). Res. or non-res. Service allowance £15 every six months.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (General Training School and Training School for B.T.A. Certificate—632 beds). Res. or non-res. For General Theatre.

SISTER IN CHARGE (Ward Sister Grade)

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. For Ear, Nose and Throat Theatre and Out-patients' Department.

WARD SISTERS

Abbots Langley Hospital, Nr. Watford, Herts. (Elderly patients, some with psychiatric disabilities). Res. or non-res. Mental nursing qualification an advantage but not essential.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (233 beds). Res. or non-res. **ONE,** Junior, for Chest Wards.

Bedfordshire Sanatorium Mogerhanger Park, Nr. Bedford (88 beds). Res. For Men's Ward.

Bushey and District Hospital, Windmill Street, Bushey Heath, Herts. Small busy General Hospital doing acute work (38 beds). Res. or non-res. **Applications to Matron, Peace Memorial Hospital, Watford.**

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Maidenhead, Berks. (General—332 beds). Non-res. To take charge of Syringe Room.

WARD SISTERS—Contd.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—450 beds). Res. or non-res. Service allowance £15 every six months.

Hillingdon Hospital, Uxbridge, Middx. (General—621 beds). S.R.N. for Female Geriatric Ward.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Female Geriatric Ward at Old Windsor Unit.

Medical Rehabilitation Centre, 152 Camden Road, London, N.W.1. Non-res. Part-time 36 hours per week. No Saturday or Sunday duty. Applicants welcome to visit centre to see scope of work. **Applications to Administrative Officer.**

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Res. For Female Surgical Ward of 25 beds, opening in January. Mainly Orthopaedic. Candidates must be S.R.N. with Orthopaedic Certificate or experience.

St. Albans City Hospital, Normandy Road, St. Albans (Complete General Training School—384 beds). **ONE** for Tuberculosis Ward of 31 beds; **ONE** for Children's Ward of 15 beds, mainly surgical.

Steppingley Hospital, Steppingley Beds. (Chronic—44 beds). Res. or non-res.

Teddington, Hampton Wick and District Hospital, Hampton Road, Teddington, Middlesex (General—51 beds). For Out-patient and Casualty Department and to relieve Theatre Sister duties. May be non-resident except when doing Theatre duty.

Tolmers Park Hospital, Newgate St., Nr. Hertford, Herts. (Male and Female Chronic Sick—104 beds). Res. or non-res. Vacancies suitable for Nurses seeking first Ward Sister's post, or desirous of gaining Geriatric Nursing experience.

Upton Hospital, Slough, Bucks. (General—211 beds). Res. or non-res. **TWO,** Juniors.

Watford and District Peace Memorial Hospital, Watford, Herts. Busy General Hospital (208 beds). Res. or non-res. For Accident Ward to be opened shortly.

West Herts Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (General Training School —170 beds). Res. or non-res. Senior, for busy Female Surgical Ward—29 beds.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,066 beds). Res. or non-res. **ONE** for E.N.T. and Paediatric O.P.D. and Receiving Ward.

RELIEF SISTERS

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,066 beds). Res. or non-res.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Barnet General Hospital, Maternity Unit (Victoria Maternity Hospital), Wood Street, Barnet, Herts. (70 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Res. or non-res.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), (Maternity Unit), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (60 beds and 3 premature cubicles). Res. or non-res. This hospital is a Part II Midwifery Training School.

Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, London, N.W.10 (Maternity Unit —86 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

Chiswick Maternity Unit (West Middlesex Hospital), Isleworth, Middlesex Non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. Part I Midwifery Training School—20 Pupils.

STAFF MIDWIVES—Contd.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res.

Midwifery Unit, St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (Part II Training School—41 beds). Res. or non-res. For Labour Ward.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, London, W.9 (582 beds. Part I Midwifery Training School). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

Upton Hospital Slough, Bucks. (General—211 beds). Res. or non-res.

Queen Mary Maternity Unit (West Middlesex Hospital), Isleworth, Middx. (100 beds, 80 cots, 15 premature cots). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. Part I Midwifery Training School — 40 Pupils (full-time).

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,066 beds). Res. or non-res.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Barnet General Hospital Maternity Unit (Victoria Maternity Hospital), Wood Street, Barnet, Herts. (70 beds). Res. or non-res. Vacancies for Part I Midwifery Training. Study day system in operation for schools commencing May, August and November.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing) (Maternity Unit), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (60 beds, and 3 premature cubicles). Vacancies for Part II Midwifery Training commencing 1st March, 1st June, 1st September and 1st December, each year.

Midwifery Unit, St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (Part II Training School—41 beds). Res. or non-res.

Perivale Maternity Hospital, Western Avenue, Greenford, Middlesex (Mater Midwifery Training School, Part I—[illegible] beds). Res. or non-res. Within easy reach of London. S.R.N.s prepared for Part I Certificate, Central Midwives Board. Schools 1st Feb., 1st May, 1st August, 1st November.

Welwyn Garden City Maternity Hospital, Peartree Lane, Welwyn Garden City (Part II Midwifery Training School —30 beds). Res. There are vacancies for the second period training in the school commencing 1st December. Hospital is pleasantly situated half-an-hour from Central London.

West Middlesex Hospital, Queen Mary Maternity Unit, Isleworth Middlesex (100 beds, 80 cots, 15 premature cots). For Part I Training. School commences 1st May, 1957. East have one study day per week. Experience available in Ante-Natal, Labour Wing, Lying-in Wards, Premature Wing.

West Middlesex Hospital, Chiswick Maternity Unit, Isleworth, Middlesex. Res. For School commencing August, 1957. Part I Training School. One study day per week.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Barnet General Hospital, Barnet, Herts. (461 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (206 beds). Res. Modern up-to-date Twin Operating Unit.

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Maidenhead, Berks. (General—332 beds). Res.

Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, London, N.W.10 (750 beds). S.R.N. Res. or non-res.

NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

Training normally lasts **3 years for Student Nurses** and **2 years for Pupil Assistant Nurses** and an allowance of between £260-£285 a year is payable during training less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Mental Nurse Training Allowance: age 18 £305, 19 £315, 20 £330, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident—Age 21 or over on entry 1st year £390, 2nd year £405, 3rd year £420, less £144 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Four weeks paid leave per annum. For full details please apply to the **Matron of the hospital concerned.**

KING EDWARD VII HOSPITAL, WINDSOR AND OLD WINDSOR UNITS, WINDSOR, BERKS. (General—455 beds). There are vacancies for Student Nurses with a good standard of education. Preliminary Training Schools commence February, April, August, November. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training. Block system of training.

HIGHLANDS GENERAL HOSPITAL, WINCHMORE HILL, N.21. New Training School. Student Nurses required for newly-recognised, newly-equipped General Training School. The hospital is situated in large, pleasant grounds in North London, about 45 minutes from Piccadilly and is within easy reach of the beauty spots of Hertfordshire. Trainees required for January, 1957. Apply in writing to Matron.

CLARE HALL HOSPITAL, SOUTH MIMMS, BARNET, HERTS. (Chest Hospital—450 beds). **STUDENT NURSES.** Vacancies for well-educated girls and men, 18 years of age and over, for (a) Four-year course comprising two years at Clare Hall qualifying for Preliminary State Examination and British Tuberculosis Association Certificate, followed by two years at an affiliated general hospital to complete training for Final State Examination; or (b) Two-years' course for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate only. Training period includes first ten weeks in Preliminary Training School (Service allowance of £60 for students who complete two years' training). This is a busy chest hospital offering all-round experience in chest surgery, with a pleasant, modern nurses' home. Roman Catholic Chaplain on staff and facilities are available for the practising of religion. Vacancies 12th December and subsequently. Applications to the Matron.

WEST MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL, ISLEWORTH, MIDDLESEX (Large General —1,142 beds). **FEMALE,** resident or non-resident. For school commencing 7th January, 1957. Experience in Acute Medical and Surgical Wards, Tuberculosis, Paediatrics and Geriatrics, 11-weeks Preliminary Training School and five blocks of three weeks. **MALE, non-res.** Three years' course in General Nursing, also four year combined course for entry to General and Medical Register in conjunction with Holloway Sanatorium, Virginia Water, Surrey. Good recreational facilities.

BARNET GENERAL HOSPITAL, WELLHOUSE LANE, BARNET, HERTS. (461 beds). Vacancies for **MALE** and **FEMALE** Student Nurses. Three years training; shift system. Resident or non-resident. Brochure sent on application.

MOUNT VERNON HOSPITAL, NORTHWOOD, MIDDLESEX. Vacancies in the Preliminary Training School, January, May and September each year. Candidates on the Supplementary Register accepted for two years.

BEDFORD GENERAL HOSPITAL (SOUTH WING), KEMPSTON ROAD, BEDFORD, offers excellent training. Lectures by Medical Staff and qualified Sister Tutors. Minimum age for entry, 18 years. **FEMALE** Students (resident). **MALE** Students (non-resident). Interested candidates may visit hospital by appointment with Matron.

HAREFIELD HOSPITAL, HAREFIELD, MIDDLESEX (632 beds). Approved by the General Nursing Council for England and Wales, and the British Tuberculosis Association Examination Committee. Students accepted for (1) General and Tuberculosis Training (four years); (2) General Training only (three years); (3) British Tuberculosis Certificate only (two years). Special allowance of £60 for Students who complete two years' training in Tuberculosis Nursing. Up-to-date hospital. Excellent facilities for nursing training.

KING EDWARD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, EALING, LONDON, W.13 (General —155 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident. Vacancies for Women Student Nurses in Preliminary Training School starting 7th January, 1957. Block system in operation. Excellent experience in acute Medical and Surgical Wards, Paediatrics, and in large Casualty and Out-patient Departments. Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training. Hospital within easy distance of Central London.

THE WATFORD AND DISTRICT PEACE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL NURSE TRAINING SCHOOL, WATFORD, HERTS. There are vacancies for Student Nurses in the January, May and September, 1957, Training Schools. Age 18 or over. Consideration is given to all applicants with a sincere desire to nurse. Modern Nurses' Home. Easy access to Central London.

NATIONAL TEMPERANCE HOSPITAL, HAMPSTEAD ROAD, LONDON, N.W.1. There are vacancies for **FEMALE** Student Nurses for three years general training (shortened periods of training for applicants on the Supplementary Register). Minimum age, 18 years. Four weeks' annual leave, ample recreational facilities. Excellent opportunities for promotion after training. Further particulars and an illustrated brochure on request. Please mention this paper.

ST. CHARLES' HOSPITAL, LADBROKE GROVE, LONDON, W.10. There are vacancies for Student Nurses for three years' general training (shortened periods of training for applicants on the Supplementary Register). Excellent opportunities for promotion after training. Further particulars and an illustrated brochure on request. Please mention this paper when writing.

CANADIAN RED CROSS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, TAPLOW, Nr. MAIDENHEAD, BERKS. (General—332 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident.

MENTAL NURSE TRAINING

LEAVESDEN HOSPITAL, ABBOTS LANGLEY, Nr. WATFORD, HERTS. FEMALE STUDENT NURSES from 18 years of age, required for training in Mental Deficiency. Roman Catholic Church in grounds.

BROMHAM HOSPITAL (FOR MENTAL DEFECTIVES), Nr. BEDFORD. MEN and **WOMEN** required to take a three year course in preparation for the General Nursing Council Examination in Mental Deficiency. Lectures by Medical Staff and qualified Tutor and Staff. Male Students can obtain deferment of National Service during training, and when called up, continue in a nursing capacity. Further particulars and brochure obtainable from Matron and Chief Male Nurse, as appropriate.

THREE COUNTIES HOSPITAL, ARLESEY, BEDS. There are vacancies at this hospital for **MALE** and **FEMALE STUDENT NURSES,** 18 years and over. The hospital is a recognised training school and lectures are given to qualify for the State Examinations. Proficiency allowances of £40 paid on passing Preliminary Examination and £50 on passing Final Examination. The hospital is approximately 40 miles from London, in pleasant country surroundings. Further enquiries and applications should be addressed to the **Matron (female applicants)** or **Chief Male Nurse (male applicants).**

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

HILLINGDON HOSPITAL, UXBRIDGE, MIDDLESEX (General—621 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident. For Training School commencing 26th November, 1956.

BRENTFORD HOSPITAL, BOSTON MANOR ROAD, BRENTFORD, MIDDX. In conjunction with South Middlesex Hospital, Mogden Lane, Isleworth, Middlesex. Applications invited from girls 18 years upwards, for two years training for admission to the Roll of Assistant Nurses. Preferably resident. Pupils will spend six months at South Middlesex Hospital; which includes the first month in the Preliminary Training School, commencing 1st January, 1957. Brentford hospital is a small busy general hospital with 33 beds, offering good experience and conveniently situated within easy reach of London. **Apply Matron, Brentford Hospital.**

SOUTH MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL, MOGDEN LANE, ISLEWORTH, MIDDX. FEMALE pupils accepted between the ages of 18 and 45 years for two years' Training for Roll of Assistant Nurses. School commencing 1st January, 1957. Good residential accommodation is available or candidates may be non-resident if desired. Hospital may be seen by interested candidates on application to Matron.

BARNET GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE—ASSISTANT NURSE TRAINING SCHOOL, incorporating Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, North Finchley, London, N.12; Potters Bar and District Hospital, Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Middlesex; St. Stephen's Hospital, Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts.—Applications are invited for girls interested in a two-year course, chiefly practical bedside nursing, with excellent opportunities in the future for more advanced work, if desired. Candidates may be resident or not. Apply in writing to the **Matron of any of the above hospitals** for application forms for January School.

WEST MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL (COMBINED TRAINING SCHOOL WITH TEDDINGTON HOSPITAL), ISLEWORTH, MIDDLESEX. FEMALE. Resident or non-resident. For school commencing 4th February, 1957. Excellent experience in geriatric nursing at West Middlesex Hospital and Acute General Nursing at Teddington Hospital.

BEDFORD GENERAL HOSPITAL (NORTH WING), KIMBOLTON ROAD, BEDFORD, offers excellent training. Lectures by Medical Staff and qualified Sister Tutors. Minimum age for entry, 18 years. **FEMALES** (resident or non-resident). **MALES** (non-resident). Interested candidates may visit hospital by appointment with Matron.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS—(*Contd.*)

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—450 beds). Res. or non-res. Service Allowance £5 every six months.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. For Old Windsor Unit.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Res. or non-res. **FEMALE** for General Theatres.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Abbots Langley Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. (Elderly mentally ill patients with psychiatric disabilities — beds). Res. or non-res. Mental Nursing qualification an advantage but not essential.

SHENLEY HOSPITAL
Nr. ST. ALBANS, HERTS.

Experimental Post-graduate Course in Mental Training

Applications are invited from **Male and Female** State Registered Nurses to do a shortened training course to qualify for the State Register in Mental Nursing in 18 months. The hospital is situated in pleasant country within easy reach of London, and there are excellent social and sporting facilities. This special course will commence on 25th November.

Application forms and full particulars from **Matron or Chief Male Nurse.**

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Barnet General Hospital, Barnet Herts. (461 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (233 beds). Res. or non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (206 beds). Res. or non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Biggleswade Hospital, Biggleswade, Beds. (46 beds). Res. or non-res.

Brentford Hospital, Boston Manor Road, Brentford, Middlesex (Small General—33 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Maidenhead, Berks. (General—332 beds). Res. For General and Juvenile Rheumatism Unit Wards. Also **TWO,** res. or non-res., for Chest Unit. T.A. Certificate.

Clapham Hospital, Milton Hill, Nr. Bedford (Chronic Sick—85 beds). Res. or non-res.

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NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS—(*Contd.*)

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital — 450 beds). Res. or non-res. For Female Non-Tuberculous Surgical Ward. S.R.N. Also Nurses with B.T.A. Cert. Service allowance £15 every six months.

Edgware General Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex (A large modern hospital with a comfortable nurses' home situated in pleasant grounds within easy reach of the centre of London—715 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. Applications in writing

Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road North Finchley, London, N.12 (Acute — 76 beds, including Private Wards). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (Chest Hospital and Regional Centre for Thoracic Surgery — 632 beds). S.R.N. and/or T.A. Cert. only. Res. or non-res.

Hillingdon Hospital, Uxbridge, Middx. (General—621 beds). S.R.N. for busy Out-patient and Casualty Department; Theatres (post-graduate experience available); Acute Wards; Geriatric Wards; S.R.N. for night duty, and **ONE** S.R.N., R.S.C.N. for Children's Unit.

Iver, Denham and Langley Cottage Hospital, Iver, Bucks. (General — 29 beds). Res. or non-res.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Geriatric Wards at Old Windsor Unit. Also **ONE** for Out-patients' Department.

Marie Curie Hospital, 66 Fitzjohn's Avenue, N.W.3 (50 beds). Res. For an annexe of 16 Ambulant Patients.

Mount Pleasant Hospital, North Road, Southall, Middlesex (Tuberculosis — 79 beds). S.R.N. or T.A. Cert .

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Res. or non-res. For Radiotherapy, Medical and Surgical Wards. Also for Burns Unit in Plastic Centre and for Children's Unit in Plastic Centre—must be S.R.N. S.C.M.

Potters Bar and District Hospital, Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Middlesex (Acute—56 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. for Wards, Theatre or O.P. Dept.

Queen Mary Maternity Unit (West Middlesex Hospital), Isleworth, Middx. (100 beds, 80 cots, 15 premature cots). Res. or non-res. Part I C.M.B. Exam. Part I Midwifery Training School.

St. Albans City Hospital, Normandy Road, St. Albans (Complete General Training School—384 beds). **ONE** for Medical Ward.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, London, W.10 (General — 581 beds). Res. or non-res. For General Wards. And **ONE** for Surgical Thoracic Unit.

St. Columba's Hospital, 98 Avenue Road, Hampstead, London, N.W.3 (For Advanced Cases—32 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. John's Hospital, Kingston Lane, Uxbridge, Middlesex (Fever and Chronic —138 beds). S.R.N. for new Geriatric Ward and **ONE,** R.F.N.

St. John's Hospital, Amyand Park Road, Twickenham, Middlesex (36 beds). Res. or non-res.

Southall-Norwood Hospital, The Green, Southall, Middlesex (Acute General — 28 beds). S.R.N. for Male Ward of 14 beds.

Steppingley Hospital, Steppingley, Beds. (Chronic—44 beds). Res. or non-res.

Uxbridge Country Hospital, Harefield Place, Uxbridge, Middlesex (General and Post-maternity). S.R.N.

Watford and District Peace Memorial Hospital, Watford, Herts. Busy General Hospital (208 beds). Res. or non-res. For Accident and Orthopaedic Wards.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Res. or non-res. For General, T.B., Medical and Surgical Wards and General Theatres.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,066 beds). Res. or non-res. **ONE** for Theatre; **ONE** for Orthopaedic Ward; **ONE** for Surgical Ward.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Nr. Maidenhead, Berks. (General—332 beds). Res. or non-res. For Chest Unit. T.A. Certificate.

Clare Hall Hospital South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—450 beds). Res. or non-res. Nurses with B.T.A. Cert. Service Allowance £15 every six months.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)—Contd.

Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, North Finchley, London, N.12 (Acute — 76 beds, including Private Wards). Non-res. S.R.N.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Res. or non-res. For Radiotherapy, Medical and Surgical Wards.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Non-res. For Geriatric, General and T.B. Wards.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,066 beds). Res. or non-res For night duty.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—450 beds). **MALE** and **FEMALE.** Res. or non-res. S.R.N. for post-graduate training for B.T.A. Cert.

Res. or non-res. S.R.N. **(MALE** and **FEMALE)** for six months course in a modern Thoracic Surgical Unit. Operations performed include all types of pulmonary, cardiac and oesophageal surgery. Staff Nurses' salary. Certificate of training awarded on completion of course. Apply to Matron for full particulars.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield Middx. (Regional Thoracic Surgical Centre). Post-graduate Training in Tuberculosis for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Duration of training, one year. Schools commence in February, May, August and November in each year. Particulars of curriculum sent on application to the Matron.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Res. or non-res. **S.R.N.** for Plastic Surgery and treatment of Burns. Six months' course offered to trained nurses. Certificate awarded.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). S.R.N s Post-graduate Course. For Ear, Nose and Throat, Plastic and Dental work. **Female** res. or non-res. **Male,** non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Abbots Langley Hospital Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. (Elderly patients with psychiatric disabilities — 210 beds). Res. or non-res.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (233 beds). Res. or non-res. T.A. Certificate an advantage. for Chest Wards. Also for General and Maternity Wards.

Biggleswade Hospital, Biggleswade, Beds. (46 beds). Res. or non-res.

Clapham Hospital, Milton Hill, Nr. Bedford (Chronic Sick—85 beds). Res. or non-res.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—450 beds). Res. or non-res. Service allowance £15 every six months.

Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, North Finchley, London, N.12 (Acute — 76 beds, including Private Wards). Res. or non-res. For day and night duty.

Hillingdon Hospital, Uxbridge, Middx. (General—621 beds). For day and night duty.

Hounslow Hospital, Staines Road, Hounslow, Middlesex (General Acute — 81 beds). Res. or non-res.

Iver, Denham and Langley Cottage Hospital, Iver, Bucks. (General — 29 beds). Res. or non-res.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Old Windsor Unit. Full or part-time.

Northwood, Pinner and District Hospital, Pinner Road, Northwood, Middx. (36 beds). Res. or non-res.

Potters Bar and District Hospital, Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Middlesex (Acute—56 beds). Res. or non-res.

Queen Mary Maternity Unit (West Middlesex Hospital), Isleworth, Middx. (100 beds, 80 cots, 15 premature cots). Res. or non-res.

St. Columba's Hospital, 98 Avenue Road, Hampstead, London, N.W.3 (For Advanced Cases—32 beds). Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

St. John's Hospital, Kingston Lane, Uxbridge, Middlesex (Fever and Chronic —138 beds).

St. John's Hospital, Amyand Park Road, Twickenham, Middlesex (36 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Mary's Cottage Hospital, Hampton, Middlesex (Small General — 24 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts. (88 beds). Res. or non-res.

Southall-Norwood Hospital, The Green, Southall, Middlesex (Acute General—28 beds)

Steppingley Hospital, Steppingley, Beds. (Chronic—44 beds). Res. or non-res.

Teddington, Hampton Wick and District Hospital, Hampton Road, Teddington, Middlesex (General—51 beds). Res. or non-res

Upton Hospital, Slough, Bucks. (General—211 beds). Res. or non-res. For Maternity Department.

Uxbridge Country Hospital, Harefield Place, Uxbridge, Middlesex (General and Post-maternity).

Uxbridge Cottage Hospital, Harefield Road, Uxbridge, Middlesex (General—28 beds).

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Res. or non-res. For General, T.B., Geriatric Wards.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,066 beds). Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Clapham Hospital, Milton Hill, Nr. Bedford (Chronic Sick—85 beds). Non-res.

Finchley Memorial Hospital Granville Road, North Finchley, London, N.12 (Acute — 76 beds, including Private Wards). Non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)—Contd.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Res. or non-res. For General and Geriatric Wards.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (FEMALE)

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital— beds). Res. or non-res. Day and night duty.

Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, North Finchley, London, N.12 (Acute — 76 beds, including Private Wards). Res. or non-res. For day and night duty.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Old Windsor Unit. Full or part-time.

Mount Vernon Hospital Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Res. or non-res. For Plastic Centre and Burns Unit. Some nursing experience essential.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Non-res. For Geriatric Wards.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (MALE)

Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, North Finchley, London, N.12 (Acute — 76 beds, including Private Wards). Non-res.

NURSERY NURSES

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. **TWO** required for Children's Ward Old Windsor Unit.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

ASSISTANT MATRON

Leavesden Hospital, Abbots Langley, Herts. Candidates should be qualified in Mental Nursing or Mental Deficiency and General Training will be an advantage. **Applications to Matron.**

WARD SISTERS

Napsbury Mental Hospital, Nr. St. Albans, Herts. (2,020 beds). Res. or non-res. R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.

"Normansfield", Teddington, Middlesex (Mental Deficiency—238 beds). Res. or non-res.

DEPUTY SISTERS

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mental Deficiency—434 beds). Res. or non-res. R.M.P.A. or State Mental Deficiency Certificate. Two very modern and well-equipped pavilions just completed.

Leavesden Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. (Mental Hospital and Mental Deficiency Institution — 2,076 beds). Res. or non-res. R.M.P.A. or State Mental Deficiency Certificate.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mental Deficiency—434 beds). Res. or non-res. Mental Deficiency qualification essential. Two very modern and well-equipped pavilions just completed.

Friern Hospital (For Nervous and Mental Disorders), New Southgate, London, N.11 (1,402 beds). Res. or non-res.

Napsbury Mental Hospital, Nr. St. Albans Herts. (2,020 beds). Res. or non-res R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mental Deficiency—434 beds). Res. or non-res. Three modern and well-equipped pavilions just completed.

Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, London, N.W.10 (Psychiatric Unit of 16 beds). Non-res. R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (FEMALE)

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mental Deficiency—434 beds). Res. or non-res.

Friern Hospital, New Southgate, London, N.11 (For Nervous and Mental Disorders). Res. or non-res. Preferably with one year's experience.

"Normansfield", Teddington, Middlesex (Mental Deficiency—238 beds). Res. or non-res.

Three Counties Hospital, Arlesey, Beds. Recognised Training School. Salary £ at age 18 rising to £490 p.a. £119 rising to £144 p.a. for board lodging. The hospital is approximately 40 miles from London in pleasant country surroundings. Further enquiries will be willingly answered by Matron to whom applications should be made.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Res. or non-res. For Psychiatric Unit.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (MALE)

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mental Deficiency—434 beds). Res. or non-res. Three modern and well-equipped pavilions just completed.

Haselis Hall, Nr. Sandy, Beds. (Mental Deficiency—60 beds). Res. or non-res. **Apply Chief Male Nurse, Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford.**

"Normansfield", Teddington, Middlesex (Mental Deficiency—238 beds). Res. or non-res.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Non-res. For Psychiatric Unit.

WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD, SCOTLAND

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

DEPUTY MATRONS

BIRKWOOD INSTITUTION, Lesmahagow, Lanarkshire (234 beds). Qualified in general and mental deficiency nursing.

KIRKLANDS INSTITUTION, Bothwell, Lanarkshire (220 beds). Qualified in general and mental deficiency nursing.

ASSISTANT MATRON

BIRKWOOD INSTITUTION, Lesmahagow, Lanarkshire (234 beds). Qualified in general and mental deficiency nursing.

SISTER TUTOR

DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY ROYAL INFIRMARY, Dumfries. Qualified. For Preliminary Training School.

GREENOCK ROYAL INFIRMARY, LARKFIELD HOSPITAL and DUNCAN McPHERSON HOSPITAL, 2 Duncan Street, Greenock (300 beds). Training School—with certificate preferred.

SISTER TUTOR or MALE TUTOR

RENFREWSHIRE MENTAL HOSPITALS BOARD. Tutor required for the hospitals at Riccartsbar, Paisley, and Ravenscraig, Greenock. Travelling expenses payable. Apply to Group Secretary, Dykebar Hospital, Paisley.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

STIRLING ROYAL INFIRMARY, Livilands, Stirling (284 beds). Training School for General Nurses and Pupil Midwives, Parts I and II.

CRAIGARD MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Campbeltown, Argyll (14 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

STOBHILL GENERAL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, N.1. For Maternity Department. Application forms from Matron.

ROBROYSTON HOSPITAL, Glasgow, E.3. R.G.N., S.C.M. Full-time or part-time.

LENNOX CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Lennoxtown, Nr. Glasgow. R.G.N. and S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

PAISLEY AND DISTRICT MATERNITY UNIT. Midwifery Training School. Parts I and II. Apply Matron, Thornhill Maternity Hospital, Johnstone, Renfrewshire.

CRAIGARD MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Campbeltown, Argyll (14 beds).

RANKIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Greenock (63 beds). Midwifery Training School.

STIRLING ROYAL INFIRMARY, Livilands, Stirling (284 beds). Training School for General Nurses and Pupil Midwives, Parts I and II.

AIRTHREY CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Bridge of Allan (30 beds). Part I Training School. S.R.N. or R.G.N. and S.C.M. only.

FALKIRK AND DISTRICT ROYAL INFIRMARY, Major's Loan, Falkirk (270 beds). Unit of 50 beds.

DRUMLEY HOUSE, Annbank, Ayrshire.

THEATRE SISTERS

LAW HOSPITAL, Carluke, Lanarkshire (800 beds). Complete Training School—S.R.N. or R.G.N. Two. Experience of theatre work essential. Resident or non-resident. Alternate day and night duty.

DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY ROYAL INFIRMARY, Dumfries. To take charge of busy Theatre Unit. Must have had good experience.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

AYRSHIRE CENTRAL HOSPITAL, Irvine (460 beds). Infectious Diseases Section. Training School for Fever and T.A. Certificates. R.G.N., R.F.N. Certificates necessary. Resident. Administrative and home duties.

CHARGE SISTERS

BALLOCHMYLE HOSPITAL, Mauchline, Ayrshire (301 beds). General. A Charge Sister required for each of the following wards: gynaecological; female medical; surgical.

HOME SISTER

AYRSHIRE CENTRAL HOSPITAL, Irvine (460 beds). Infectious Diseases Section. Training School for Fever and T.A. Certificates. R.G.N., R.F.N. Certificates necessary. Resident. Home and night relief duties.

WARD SISTERS

LADY HOME COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Douglas, Lanarkshire (22 beds, including maternity). S.C.M. or C.M.B. for general department.

ROBROYSTON HOSPITAL, Glasgow, E.3. R.G.N. (experienced) for Geriatric Ward (female) to be opened shortly.

KILLEARN HOSPITAL, Killearn, by Glasgow (404 beds). Two required immediately for Male Orthopaedic Wards.

DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY ROYAL INFIRMARY, Dumfries. S.R.N. or R.G.N. with good experience, for Male Surgical Unit of 32 beds.

EASTERN DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Glasgow, E.1. For Female Medical Ward. Qualifications necessary: R.G.N., S.C.M.

STIRLING ROYAL INFIRMARY, Livilands, Stirling (284 beds). Training School for General Nurses and Pupil Midwives, Parts I and II. For Male Medical Ward.

GREENOCK ROYAL INFIRMARY, LARKFIELD HOSPITAL and DUNCAN McPHERSON HOSPITAL, 2 Duncan Street, Greenock (300 beds). Training School.

NIGHT SISTERS

AIRTHREY CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Bridge of Allan (30 beds). Part I Training School. S.R.N. or R.G.N. and S.C.M.

VALE OF LEVEN HOSPITAL, Alexandria, Dunbartonshire. This is a new hospital.

MAIRMYRES HOSPITAL, East Kilbride (760 beds). Night Sister required (one of three) with Night Superintendent and preferably with Ward Sister's experience.

STOBHILL GENERAL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, N.1. For general part of the hospital. Application forms from Matron.

SISTERS

STIRLING ROYAL INFIRMARY, Livilands, Stirling (284 beds). Training School for General Nurses and Pupil Midwives, Parts I and II. For Ophthalmic Ward.

HENRY BROCK VALE OF LEVEN COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Alexandria, Dunbartonshire.

ASSISTANT CHIEF MALE NURSE

LENNOX CASTLE INSTITUTION, Lennoxtown (1,380 beds). Institution for mental defectives. Applications invited from Nurses registered in mental deficiency. S.R.N. Certificate will be considered an advantage. House available. Applications with names of three referees, to Group Secretary and Treasurer, Board of Management for Lennox Castle and Associated Institutions, 113 Douglas Street, Glasgow, C.2, on or before 14th November, 1956.

STAFF NURSES

VALE OF LEVEN HOSPITAL, Alexandria, Dunbartonshire. This is a new hospital.

GREENOCK ROYAL INFIRMARY, LARKFIELD HOSPITAL and DUNCAN McPHERSON HOSPITAL, 2 Duncan Street, Greenock (300 beds). Training School.

AYRSHIRE CENTRAL HOSPITAL, Irvine (460 beds). Training School for Fever and T.A. Certificates. For I.D. Section. R.G.N., R.F.N. or T.A. Certificates necessary.

KIRKLANDSIDE HOSPITAL, by Kilmarnock.

COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Campbeltown, Argyll (General—18 beds).

LAW HOSPITAL, Carluke, Lanarkshire (800 beds). Complete Training School. For Medical and Surgical Wards. Resident or non-resident. Alternate day and night duty.

LOCKHART HOSPITAL, Lanark (26 beds). S.R.N. or R.G.N., S.C.M. for General Department.

KILLEARN HOSPITAL, Killearn, by Glasgow (404 beds). For Male and Female Neurosurgical Wards.

FALKIRK AND DISTRICT ROYAL INFIRMARY, Major's Loan, Falkirk (270 beds). For Theatre and General Wards. Immediate vacancies; further particulars from Matron.

DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY ROYAL INFIRMARY, Dumfries. S.R.N. or R.G.N.

ELDER COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Glasgow, S.W.1 (Medical and Surgical—30 beds). Preferably resident.

STIRLING ROYAL INFIRMARY, Livilands, Stirling (284 beds). Training School for General Nurses and Pupil Midwives. Parts I and II.

AYR WELFARE HOME, Ayr (69 beds). Chronic sick. S.R.N. or R.G.N. Forty-eight hour week. Resident or non-resident.

HEATHFIELD HOSPITAL, Ayr (144 beds). For Medical Wards.

BALLOCHMYLE HOSPITAL, Mauchline, Ayrshire (301 beds). General—for Medical and Surgical Wards.

AIRTHREY CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Bridge of Allan (30 beds). Part I Training School. S.R.N. or R.G.N. and S.C.M. or S.C.M. only.

STOBHILL GENERAL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, N.1. For Theatre, Surgical, Medical and Paediatric Wards. Application forms from Matron.

ROBROYSTON HOSPITAL, Glasgow, E.3. R.G.N. (experienced) for Geriatric Ward (female) to be opened shortly; also Staff Nurses (male and female). R.G.N. or R.F.N. or B.T.A. Certificate. Opportunity to take post-graduate B.T.A. training (R.G.N., one year. R.F.N., two years). Full-time and part-time vacancies.

CUNINGHAM HOME, Irvine.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING

GLENAFTON HOSPITAL, New Cumnock, Ayrshire. Facilities for one year's post-graduate training for B.T.A. Certificate.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

AYRSHIRE CENTRAL HOSPITAL, Irvine (460 beds). Training School for Fever and T.A. Certificate. For I.D. Section.

KIRKLANDSIDE HOSPITAL, by Kilmarnock.

ROBROYSTON HOSPITAL, Glasgow, E.3. Male and female staff required, opportunity to take B.T.A. course of training (two years); also part-time vacancies.

DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY ROYAL INFIRMARY, Dumfries.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

LENNOX CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Lennoxtown, Nr. Glasgow. S.R.N. or R.G.N. for Part I and Part II training.

STOBHILL GENERAL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, N.1. Parts I and II training. Application forms from Matron.

ROBROYSTON HOSPITAL, Glasgow, E.3. R.G.N. or S.R.N. Vacancies now or later for Part I and II training. Block system for Part I and weekly study day.

PAISLEY AND DISTRICT MATERNITY UNIT. Midwifery Training School. Parts I and II. Apply Matron, Thornhill Maternity Hospital, Johnstone, Renfrewshire.

FALKIRK AND DISTRICT ROYAL INFIRMARY, Major's Loan, Falkirk (270 beds). Parts I and II. Unit of 50 beds.

RANKIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Greenock (63 beds). Midwifery Training School. Vacancies now and later for Parts I and II, or Part I or Part II only.

BRAEHOLM MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Helensburgh.

KILMARNOCK MATERNITY HOME, Kilmarnock. Part II.

SOUTHERN GENERAL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, S.W.1 (1,000 staffed beds). For Midwifery Training School. Parts I and II. Resident or non-resident.

STUDENT NURSES

STIRLING ROYAL INFIRMARY, Livilands, Stirling (284 beds). Training School for General Nurses and Pupil Midwives, Parts I and II.

GLENAFTON HOSPITAL, New Cumnock, Ayrshire.

POST-REGISTRATION STUDENT NURSES

FALKIRK AND DISTRICT ROYAL INFIRMARY, Major's Loan, Falkirk (270 beds). For general training.

BELLSDYKE MENTAL HOSPITAL, Larbert, Stirlingshire (1,258 beds). For psychiatric training. Eighteen months' course. Vacancies mid-November, mid-March and mid-July. Well-equipped teaching unit. Shift system of duty and block system of training.

Whitley Council salary scales and conditions of service will apply to the above appointments.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience and names of two referees, to be sent to the Matron of the respective hospital, unless otherwise stated above. (2404)

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL
DORKING ROAD, EPSOM, SURREY

Nursing Auxiliaries required. Resident or non-resident at above hospital or at EWELL PARK HOSPITAL, EWELL.
Further details may be obtained on application to Matron, Epsom District Hospital. (2243)

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM
(161 beds)

Physiotherapist required. Resident or non-resident. Whitley Council salary.

Applications to the Secretary, Hospital Management Committee "Fern Bank", Doncaster Road, Rotherham. (2347)

NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimoni TO THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, unless otherwise stated, from whom further details may be obtained. Sal are in accordance with the appropriate National Scales.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

SISTER TUTORS

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School—516 beds). Res. or non-res. Unqualified. For Preliminary Training School. Post suitable for experienced Ward Sister.

Chelmsford School of Nursing. Res. or non-res. Application forms and further details from **Matron, St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex.**

East Ham Memorial Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, London, E.7 (Acute—138 beds). Res. or non-res. To work with Principal Tutor. Applications with Matrons' names for reference.

Essex County Hospital, Colchester, Essex (General—188 beds, with 154 beds at Myland Hospital). Res. or non-res. Qualified. Post is second of three Tutors and offers good experience in up-to-date Teaching Department.

King George Hospital, Ilford, Essex (211 beds). Res. or non-res. In charge of Preliminary Training School.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res. One of three to work under Principal Tutor. Study day system of training. Unqualified candidates interested in taking Tutor's Certificate, will be considered.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver St., Edmonton, London, N.18 (General—831 beds). Res. or non-res. Post offers excellent experience in large training school. Block system of training.

TUTOR (FEMALE)

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, Essex (516 beds). Res. or non-res. Qualified. House with garage space available, if desired.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

Hackney Hospital, London, E.9 (General—841 beds). Post vacant 1st December and offers good opportunity for gaining nursing administration experience in a large general hospital. **Apply by 9th November.**

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 722 beds). Res. Hospital is within easy access of East Coast, London and Country.

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex (Chronic —310 beds). Res. or non-res.

The Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Glamis Road, Shadwell, London, E.1 (50 beds). Res. S.R.N., R.S.C.N., with housekeeping experience. **Applications to Matron, Hackney Road, London, E.2.**

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res. Special consideration given to applicants interested in administration.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 722 beds). Res. Hospital is within easy access of East Coast, London and Country.

NIGHT SISTERS IN SOLE CHARGE

St. Michael's Hospital, Rayne Road, Braintree, Essex (Acute Medical and Chronic—201 beds). Res.

The Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Banstead, Surrey (70 beds). R.S.C.N., S.R.N. Res. or non-res. **Applications to Matron, Hackney Road, E.2.**

Waltham Abbey War Memorial Hospital, Farm Hill Road, Waltham Abbey, Essex (Medical and Surgical Acute—24 beds). Res. or non-res. Hospital in country surroundings, on main bus routes and within easy reach of London (13 miles). Modern, comfortable nurses' home.

HOME SISTERS

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 722 beds). Res. Hospital is within easy access of East Coast, London and Country.

Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, London, E.2. Res. With administrative duties. R.S.C.N., S.R.N.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds). Res.

ASSISTANT HOME SISTER

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, London, E.3 (General—505 beds). Res. or non-res.

NIGHT SISTER (Theatre and Casualty)

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford, Herts. (173 beds). Res. or non-res. For occasional emergencies and to help relieve other Night Sisters in General duties.

NIGHT SISTERS

Brentwood District Hospital, Brentwood, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School—50 beds). Non-res. S.R.N. Part-time for two or three nights weekly.

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford (Modern Chest Hospital — 312 beds). Resident. To work under Night Superintendent. Tuberculous and non-Tuberculous Thoracic Surgery. Service allowance of £30 p.a. B.T.A. Certificate an advantage. Opportunity to take B.T.A. Certificate.

South Lodge Hospital, World's End Lane London, N.21 (243 beds). Res. or non-res.

The Prince of Wales General Hospital, London, N.15 (300 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. (Part I). Junior. Six month appointment.

Thorpe Coombe Maternity Hospital, Walthamstow, London, E.17 (54 beds). Resident. S.R.N., S.C.M. with good experience.

DEPARTMENTAL MIDWIFERY SISTER

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Orsett Branch), Orsett, Essex (227 beds). Training School for General Register. Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General—409 beds, including 38 Maternity beds). Res. or non-res.

Hackney Hospital, London, E.9 (General). Res. or non-res.

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford, Herts. (173 beds). Res. or non-res. For night duty.

Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (400 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for Maternity Unit of 32 beds.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res. Maternity Dept.—69 beds.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver St., Edmonton, London, N.18 (Maternity Unit —101 beds). Res. or non-res. **ONE** for the Premature Baby Unit (Part I Training School).

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (Maternity—90 beds). Res.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res. Junior. S.R.N.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds). Res. Junior Sisters for Midwifery Unit—must have at least one year's midwifery experience.

THEATRE SISTERS

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School—516 beds). Res. or non-res. For General and Orthopaedic Theatres.

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Modern Chest Hospital—312 beds). Res. Required for modern thoracic theatre. Service allowance of £30 p.a. B.T.A. Certificate an advantage.

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General—409 beds). Res. or non-res. Ward Sister Grade. Working under Theatre Superintendent.

Connaught Hospital, Walthamstow, London, E.17 (General—118 beds). Res. or non-res.

Forest Hospital, Buckhurst Hill, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School—44 beds). Res.

Ilford Maternity Hospital, Eastern Avenue, Ilford (51 beds). Res. S.R.N., S.C.M. with Theatre experience preferred. Junior.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 722 beds). Res. Hospital is within easy access of East Coast, London and Country.

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, Essex (General—301 beds). Res. or non-res. General Training School. Modern Nurses' Home. Pleasant surroundings. Hospital is within easy reach of London. If non-res London Weighting Allowance also payable.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. S.R.N.

The Prince of Wales General Hospital, London, N.15 (300 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. (Part I) excellent experience in all types of general surgery. Junior.

WARD SISTERS

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Modern Chest Hospital—312 beds). Res. For Tubercular and non-Tubercular Thoracic Surgery Unit. Preference will be given to possessor of B.T.A. Certificate and experience in nursing Thoracic Surgical Cases. Service allowance of £30 p.a.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (246 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., R.F.N. Also S.R.N. only. for Geriatric Wards.

Hackney Hospital, London, E.9 (General —841 beds). Res. or non-res. For Geriatric Wards.

Harold Wood Hospital, Gubbins Lane, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School—415 beds). Res. or non-res. For Operating Theatre, Wards and Special Departments. Also **ONE**, with knowledge of Special Diets.

Harts Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (Tuberculosis—100 beds). Res. or non-res. For Ward with small Theatre attached. S.R.N., B.T.A. Must have Thoracic Theatre experience.

London Jewish Hospital, Stepney Green, London, E.1 (General—130 beds). Res. or non-res. For relief duties.

Mildmay Mission Hospital, Austin St., London, E.2 (Acute—56 beds). General Training School in association with the London Hospital. Children's Ward Sister, S.R.N., R.S.C.N., or with Sick Children's experience. Applicants must be in full and active sympathy with the evangelistic aims of the hospital. Detailed applications with three names for reference to Matron.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res. For busy Acute Medical Ward. Junior post.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver St., Edmonton, N.18 (General—831 beds). For Thoracic Surgical Ward. T.A. Cert. essential. Res. or non-res. Also **ONE** for Female Medical Ward.

WARD SISTERS—Contd.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, (General Training School—722 Ward Unit of 26 beds. Res. Ho is within easy access of East C London and Country.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock London, E.14 (General—120 beds). or non-res. For Female Medical

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, (General—301 beds). Res. or **ONE** for Children's Ward 24 beds; for Female Medical Ward 30 beds; for Nurses' Home duties. General ing School. Modern Nurses' Pleasant surroundings. Hospital is easy reach of London. If non-res. don Weighting Allowance also pa

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School beds). Res. or non-res. **ONE** for Chronic Ward, S.R.N. Also **ONE**, S.C.M. for Gynaecological Ward.

St. Andrew's Annexe, Billericay, (59 beds). S.R.N. for night duty. non-res. Female Ambulant Sick **Apply to Matron, Thurrock Grays, Essex.**

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow London, E.3 (General—94 beds). or non-res. S.R.N.

St. Faith's Hospital, London Brentwood, Essex (Sane Epileptics 437 beds; and General Medical 29 beds). Res. or non-res. For night duty.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds). non-res. Maternity Ward. Midwifery Training School.

St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping, (General Training School for Nurses beds). Res. or non-res. Second Casualty and Out-patients Duties mainly in Casualty Applications would be considered Staff Nurses who have had good ence.

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex (Chr 310 beds). Res. or non-res. For Ward.

St. Mary's Hospital for Women Children, Upper Road, Plaistow, (84 beds). Res. or non-res. Ward Sister required for busy and Gynaecological Ward.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTER

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, (General—301 beds). Res. or General Training School. Modern Home. Pleasant surroundings. is within easy reach of London. non-res. London Weighting also payable.

RELIEF SISTER

Chingford Hospital, Larkshall Road, (Assistant Nurse Training School beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

CHARGE NURSES (MALE)

Harts Hospital, Woodford Green, (Tuberculosis—100 beds). Res. or res. For Ward with small Th attached. S.R.N., B.T.A. Must Thoracic Theatre experience.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School beds). Res. S.R.N. for Theatre.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Barking Hospital, Upney Lane, Essex (78 beds). Res. or non-res. quired urgently.

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridge Enfield, Middlesex (General—409 including 38 Maternity beds). non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

German Hospital, Dalston, London, (General—157 beds). Res. or

Hackney Hospital, London, E.9 or non-res. For Post-natal Ward

NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

Training normally lasts **3 years for Student Nurses** and **2 years for Pupil Assistant Nurses** and an allowance of between £260-£285 a year is payable during training less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Mental Nurse Training Allowance: age 18 £305, 19 £315, 20 £330, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident—Age 21 or over on entry 1st year £390, 2nd year £405, 3rd year £420, less £144 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Four weeks paid leave per annum. For full details please apply to the **Matron of the hospital concerned.**

ST. MARGARET'S HOSPITAL, EPPING, ESSEX (General Training School for Nurses—485 beds). **FEMALE.** Res. or non-res. Busy general hospital in pleasant country surroundings and one hour's journey from London. Comfortable nurses' home, tennis courts. This is a new training school offering excellent experience. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for reduced period of training. Attractive brochure will be sent on request. Next Preliminary Training School commencing on 31st December, 1956.

HAROLD WOOD HOSPITAL, HAROLD WOOD, ESSEX (General Training School—415 beds). Vacancies exist for Student Nurses, **MALE,** non-res., **FEMALE,** res. or non-res., of good educational standard, for combined training of the General Nursing Council, with reduction for Nurses on the Supplementary Register.

GERMAN HOSPITAL, DALSTON, LONDON, E.8. Vacancies for Student Nurses; excellent conditions and amenities. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for reduced period. Full block system of education in operation.

NORTH MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING AND MIDWIFERY, EDMONTON, LONDON, N.18 (831 beds). Vacancies for well-educated girls over 18 years of age and over. Also men—non-resident only. Training period includes first 12 weeks in Preliminary Training School. Block system in force. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training. This is a busy general hospital offering all-round experience with a pleasant modern nurses' home and good recreational facilities. Vacancies 7th January and 6th May, 1957.

MILE END SCHOOL OF NURSING AND MIDWIFERY, MILE END HOSPITAL, LONDON, E.1 (484 beds). Vacancies for well-educated girls over 18 years of age (also men, non-resident only). Training period includes first 11 weeks in Preliminary Training School. Study day system in force. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training; short study block on entry. This is a busy general hospital, offering all-round experience, with a pleasant modern nurses' home. Vacancies 7th January, 1st April, 1957.

HERTFORD COUNTY HOSPITAL, HERTFORD, HERTS. Complete Training School for Nurses. There are vacancies for January and April, 1957. A study day scheme is in operation. All students have their own room. Off duty **1½ days** per week in addition to daily off duty. Complete details can be supplied on application.

BISHOP'S STORTFORD HOSPITALS SCHOOL OF NURSING, HERTS AND ESSEX GENERAL HOSPITAL (400 beds). There are vacancies in the Training School for **MALE** and **FEMALE** Student Nurses—three years' course, including twelve weeks in Preliminary Training School. Nurses on Supplementary part of Register accepted for two years. Modern accommodation with single bedrooms. Study day and block system of teaching. The hospital is situated in pleasant surroundings—good travelling facilities to either London or Cambridge. Training grant and conditions in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations. **Apply Matron, Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts.**

CHELMSFORD SCHOOL OF NURSING, ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX (409 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Schools commence January, March, July and October. Shortened course of training for students holding Supplementary Certificate.

BROOMFIELD HOSPITAL, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX, FEMALE (between 18 and 30 years of age) are required at this chest hospital, which is an affiliated General Training School of 312 beds, and a Training School for the British Tuberculosis Certificate. Service allowance of £60 on completion of two years. Modern accommodation in pleasant surroundings is available. Good amenities, including free hospital transport.

CHELMSFORD SCHOOL OF NURSING, CHELMSFORD AND ESSEX HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX (General—162 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident. Vacancies for January, March, July and October Schools. Good standard of education required. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training.

WANSTEAD HOSPITAL, HERMON HILL, LONDON, E.11 (General—191 beds). Applications are invited from well-educated girls to become Student Nurses for general training. Vacancies for December Preliminary Training School commencing 31st. Nurses on the Supplementary Register are accepted for a shortened period of training. Resident or non-resident.

LONDON JEWISH HOSPITAL, STEPNEY GREEN, LONDON, E.1 (General—130 beds). Immediate vacancies for well-educated girls over 18 years of age as Student Nurses.

HACKNEY HOSPITAL, HOMERTON, LONDON, E.9 (841 beds). **MALE and FEMALE. Res. or non-res. General Training School** (Preliminary and Senior). Modern and well-equipped classrooms and nurses' home. Full block system. Registered Mental, Fever and Children's trained Nurses accepted for shortened course.

CHASE FARM HOSPITAL, THE RIDGEWAY, ENFIELD, MIDDLESEX. School of General Nursing and Part I Midwifery Training—409 beds. Suitable candidates of 18 years of age and over (including a limited number of young men) with a keen desire to nurse and a good basic education, are accepted for training at three monthly intervals in January, April, July and October each year; **also** Post-graduate Nurses on Supplementary Register and State Enrolled Assistant Nurses accepted for shortened training. **FEMALE** Nurses, resident or non-resident. **MALE** Nurses, non-resident only. This is a busy general hospital, beautifully situated, pleasant classrooms, good shopping and recreational facilities, and within easy reach of London.

HARTS HOSPITAL, WOODFORD GREEN, ESSEX (Tuberculosis—100 beds). **FEMALE** Trainees for the Certificate of the Tuberculosis Association. Resident. Aged 18 years and over. Two years training. £265 1st year, £275 2nd year, less £119 p.a. for board residence. Additional £60 Service Allowance paid on completion of two years training. The hospital is within easy reach of London by tube or bus.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN, UPPER ROAD, PLAISTOW, E.13 (Acute—84 beds). Resident. Participant in a three year scheme of training. Vacancies for well-educated girls 18 years of age and over. Block study system in force.

THE METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, KINGSLAND ROAD, LONDON, E.8. FEMALE Student Nurses required for a period of three years training in general nursing. Preliminary Training Schools commence in January, 1957. Candidates should be 18 years or over with a good basic education. Fares will be refunded to applicants called for interview. Apply immediately to Matron.

EASTERN HOSPITAL, HOMERTON GROVE, LONDON, E.9 (Fevers—246 beds). Resident or non-resident. **FEMALE** for two years' fever training.

BLACK NOTLEY HOSPITAL, BRAINTREE, ESSEX (General and Orthopaedic Training School for Nurses—516 beds). **FEMALE. Resident.** Situated in beautiful surroundings, Black Notley Hospital is within reach of London by train, with hospital transport for special trips to shows, etc. The hospital has a modern nurses' home, tennis courts and other recreational facilities. Experience in all branches of nursing. Block system of training; 48-hour week in operation. Girls aged 18 years and over accepted for general training. Girls aged 17 years and over accepted for two years training in orthopaedic nursing. **Vacancies exist for State Registered Nurses wishing to gain further experience and the British Tuberculosis Certificate. Course one year.**

POPLAR HOSPITAL, EAST INDIA DOCK ROAD, LONDON, E.14 (General—126 beds). There are vacancies for young ladies of good education, to train as Student Nurses at a hospital in an interesting part of London. Resident.

HIGH WOOD HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN, BRENTWOOD, ESSEX (T.B. Children—254 beds). Res. or non-res. Women over 18 trained for B.T.A. Certificate. Two years' training in affiliation with a Thoracic Unit. Salary (under review) 1st year £265, 2nd year £275 with bonus £60 on completion of training. Training School affiliated with a general hospital for combined training which will be arranged if candidates so state. Salary, 3rd year, £350—£90 more than usual Student Nurses owing to obtaining B.T.A. Certificate during first and second years. Fourth year £360. Block system of training. Thirty-two weeks wholly in classrooms plus incidental lectures during training.

ST. ANDREW'S HOSPITAL, BILLERICAY, ESSEX (General Training School—343 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident.

CONNAUGHT HOSPITAL, WALTHAMSTOW, LONDON, E.17 (General—118 beds). Applications are invited from well-educated girls to become Student Nurses for general training. Nurses on the Supplementary Register are accepted for a shortened period of training. Resident.

MENTAL NURSE TRAINING

CLAYBURY HOSPITAL (FOR NERVOUS AND MENTAL DISORDERS), WOODFORD BRIDGE, WOODFORD GREEN, ESSEX. The hospital is situated in beautiful grounds, two minutes from the bus route and 45 minutes from London's West End. Excellent training facilities include a 10 week Preliminary Training School, followed by study days, when the Student is not required to spend any time in the wards. All modern treatments practised. Prospects good for trained staff. Domestic staff are employed in wards. Hours: 96 a fortnight on a.m. and p.m. shift system. Four weeks' annual leave. Inter-hospital Christian Fellowship and Catholic Guild Branches. Excellent social and sporting amenities available. No petty restrictions. Fare refunded on taking up duty. Resident or non-resident. Student Nurses, **MALE** and **FEMALE**, from the age of 18, to enter for General Nursing Council Examination for Mental Nurses. Proficiency allowances paid—£40 on passing Preliminary Examination, £50 on passing Final Examination. Special arrangements and scale of pay for nurses who have completed General, Fever or Children's training. Training allowances for female posts are paid monthly, male posts paid weekly. Applications should be made to the Matron (female applicants) or Chief Male Nurse (male applicants) at the hospital.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

CHINGFORD HOSPITAL, LARKSHALL ROAD, LONDON, E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training School—106 beds). **FEMALE,** resident or non-resident; **MALE,** non-resident, aged 18 years and over, for two year course, mainly practical work. Preliminary Training School in February, 1957. Further particulars from Matron.

BISHOP'S STORTFORD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, RYE STREET, BISHOP'S STORTFORD, HERTS. (Training School for Assistant Nurses). There are vacancies for **PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES** in the Preliminary Training School for two years' training in all departments of the hospital. Young ladies of over 18 years of age, desirous of becoming State Enrolled Assistant Nurses should write for information to the Matron.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX (409 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident.

HACKNEY HOSPITAL, HOMERTON, LONDON, E.9 (841 beds). **MALE** and **FEMALE.** Res. or non-res. Modern, well-equipped classrooms and nurses' home.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, MALDON, ESSEX (256 beds). **FEMALE.** 18-45 years. Resident or non-resident. The Training School is a separate block with modern equipment. Illustrated brochure available on request.

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, HORNCHURCH, ESSEX (424 beds). **MALE** (non-resident) and **FEMALE** (resident or non-resident). Illustrated brochure and further details from Matron.

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NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS—(*Contd.*)

STAFF MIDWIVES—Contd.

Herts and Essex General Hospital, (343 beds). Res. or non-res. Res. or non-res. Required for Maternity Unit of 32 beds.

Ilford Maternity Hospital, Eastern Avenue, Ilford (51 beds). Res. S.R.N., S.C.M. preferred, excellent experience offered in Part I Training School. A happy atmosphere and good off duty and conditions.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res. (Maternity Dept.—69 beds).

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (Maternity—90 beds). Res. Experience in Premature Baby Unit.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (343 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds). Res. or non-res. Part I Training School.

Wanstead Hospital, Hermon Hill, London, E.11 (General—191 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and S.C.M. or S.C.M.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General — 409 beds. Maternity — 38 beds). Res. Vacancies on courses commencing 1st November, 1956, 1st February and 1st May, 1957.

East End Maternity Hospital, 384-398 Commercial Road, London, E.1 (Part I and Analgesia Training School — 60 beds). Res. or non-res. Vacancies occur for Pupils on 1st February and 1st May, 1957, for S.R.N. and R.S.C.N. Occasional vacancies for untrained candidates.

Hackney Hospital, Homerton, London, E.9 (84 beds: Maternity Department—109 beds). Res. Part I Courses commence February, May, August and November. Modern Maternity Block and Nurses' Home.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (Part I Midwifery Training School—Maternity Unit of 69 beds). Res. or non-res. Vacancies for 1st February and 1st May, 1957. Modified study day. Obstetric and Paediatric lectures given by specialists. Gas and Air Analgesia course arranged. Modified study day system.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver St., Edmonton, London, N.18 (Maternity Unit—101 beds). Res. or non-res. Vacancies for the January and April, 1957 schools. S.R.N.s accepted for Part I C.M.B. Examination. Training for Certificate in Gas and Air Analgesia is also given.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (Maternity—90 beds). Res. or non-res. Part I Training School. Next class in January, 1957. Experience in Premature Baby Unit. No night duty. Study day.

Plaistow Maternity Hospital, Howards Road, Plaistow, London, E.13 (60 beds). Pupils prepared for Part I Examination of Central Midwives Board. S.R.N. and non-S.R.N. pupils accepted. Courses commence November, February, May and August. Associated with Plaistow District Nurses' Homes for Part II Training.

Queen Mary's Hospital for the East End, West Ham Lane, Stratford, London, E.15 (General and Maternity—163 beds, including 39 Maternity). Res. or non-res. Part I Midwifery Training School. February and May, 1957 Schools.

St. John's Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (77 beds). Res. or non-res. Part I Midwifery Training. Courses commence 1st November, February, May and August. Premature Baby Certificate, six months course for S.R.N. or S.C.M. commences as above.

St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping, Essex (General Training School for Nurses—485 beds). Res. or non-res. For Part II Training. This is a new training school in pleasant country district near new large town and therefore offering good experience. Limited vacancies in December School.

The Bearsted Memorial Hospital (Jewish Maternity Hospital), The Green, Hampton Court, Middlesex (Midwifery Training School). Pupil Midwives prepared for Part I Examination of the Central Midwives' Board at this hospital, in pleasant surroundings, within easy reach of the West End. Obstetric and Paediatric lectures by Specialists. Resident Midwife Teacher. Vacancies occur in February, May, August and November.

PUPIL MIDWIVES—Contd.

The Mother's Hospital (Salvation Army), Clapton, London, E.5 (Maternity and District Midwifery Service — 110 beds). Res. Pupils prepared for examination of the Central Midwives' Board, Part I and II. Entry dates: February, May, August and November each year.

Thorpe Coombe Maternity Hospital, Walthamstow, London, E.17 (54 beds). Resident. Part I S.R.N. Vacancies: February, May and August, 1957.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School—516 beds). Res. or non-res.

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Chest Hospital—312 beds). Res. For modern Thoracic Theatre with B.T.A. Certificate or opportunity to train for same. Service allowance £30 p.a.

General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (622 beds). Res. or non-res. **TWO** required.

Jubilee Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (General — 54 beds — Assistant Nurse Training School). Res. Experience not necessary.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 722 beds). Res. Hospital is within easy access of East Coast, London and Country.

Queen Mary's Hospital for the East End, West Ham Lane, Stratford, London, E.15 (General—163 beds, including 39 Maternity). Res. or non-res. Experienced.

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, Essex (General—301 beds). Res. or non-res. General Training School. Modern Nurses' Home. Pleasant surroundings. Hospital is within easy reach of London. If non-res. London Weighting Allowance also payable.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Tilbury Branch), Tilbury, Essex (Training School for General Register — 74 beds). Res. or non-res.

Wanstead Hospital, Hermon Hill, London E.11 (General—191 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (MALE)

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Tilbury Branch), Tilbury, Essex (Training School for General Register—74 beds). Non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Bishop's Stortford and District Hospital, Rye Street, Bishop's Stortford (67 beds). Res. or non-res. One required for Private Ward. Two required for Men's and Children's Landing.

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School—516 beds). Res. or non-res. For General Wards, Thoracic Surgery and Pulmonary Wards.

Brentwood District Hospital, Brentwood, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School—50 beds). Non-res.

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Modern Chest Hospital—312 beds). Res. or non-res. Also with B.T.A. Certificate. Service allowance £30 p.a.

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General—409 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. For General Ward. Also R.S.C.N. for Children's Ward.

Chelmsford and Essex Hospital, London Road, Chelmsford, Essex (162 beds). Res. or non-res. For Wards and **ONE** for Theatre.

Cheshunt Cottage Hospital, Cheshunt, Herts. (General Practitioner—16 beds). Res. or non-res. With theatre experience.

Chingford Hospital, Larkshall Road, E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training School —106 beds). Res. or non-res.

Connaught Hospital, Walthamstow, London, E.17 (General—118 beds). Res. or non-res

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (246 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. or R.F.N. for Fevers or T.A. Certificate for T.B. Wards. Also S.R.N. only for Geriatric Wards.

East Ham Memorial Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, Forest Gate, London, E.7 (Acute—138 beds). Res. or non-res. For Theatre, General and Children's Wards. Applications with Matrons' names for reference.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Chase Side, Enfield, Middlesex (General Practitioner—61 beds). Res. or non-res. For theatre and ward duties.

Forest Hospital, Buckhurst Hill, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School, — 44 beds). Res. or non-res. For night duty. Also **ONE** for Casualty.

German Hospital, Dalston, London, E.8 (General — 157 beds). Res. or non-res. Casualty and O.P.D., Operating Theatre, General Wards.

Hackney Hospital, London, E.9 (General—841 beds). Res. or non-res. For Medical and Surgical Wards (good experience available); also for Geriatric Wards.

Harold Wood Hospital, Gubbins Lane, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School—415 beds). Res. or non-res. **TWO** for night duty in busy Casualty Department.

Harts Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (Tuberculosis—100 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. or T.A. Certificate. Facilities given for taking B.T.A. Certificate.

Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (400 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for duties on General Wards.

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford, Herts. (173 beds). Res. or non-res. Night duty. Theatre and Casualty. For occasional emergencies and to help relieve other Night Staff in General duties.

High Wood Hospital for Children, Brentwood, Essex (Tuberculosis Children —254 beds). Res. or non-res. Opportunity to take T.A. Cert.

Jubilee Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (General — 54 beds — Assistant Nurse Training School). Res. or non-res.

London Jewish Hospital, Stepney Green, London, E.1 (General—130 beds). Res. or non-res.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res. For Theatre, Acute Medical Ward, Children's Ward, Female T.B. Ward (20 beds); for Gynaecological Ward and for Out-patients' Department.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 722 beds). Res. Block system. Hospital is within easy access of East Coast, London and Country.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Rd., London, E.14 (General—120 beds). Res. or non-res. Full or part-time.

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, Essex (General — 301 beds). Res. or non-res. For General duties. General Training School; Modern Nurses' Home; pleasant surroundings; hospital within easy reach of London. If non-res. London Weighting Allowance also payable.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res. Also **ONE** for Casualty. S.R.N.

St. Andrew's Hospital Annexe, Billericay, Essex (59 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. Female Ambulant Sick Patients. Day and night duty. **Apply to Matron, Thurrock Hospital, Grays, Essex.**

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, London, E.3 (General—94 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

St. Faith's Hospital, London Road, Brentwood, Essex (Sane Epileptics—437 beds, and General Medical Unit — 29 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex (Chronic Sick—424 beds). Res. or non-res. Additional staff required for opening of further beds.

St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping, Essex (General Training School for Nurses—485 beds). Res. or non-res. **TWO** required for busy General Hospital on edge of Epping Forest. Good experience and conditions.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

St. Mary's Hospital, 14 Prior's Lane, Colchester, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School — 143 beds, partly for sick but including wards [illegible] modernised for acute cases). Res. or non-res. Required for Female Medical and Gynaecological Ward.

St. Mary's Hospital for Women and Children, Upper Road, Plaistow, E.13 (84 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. R.S.C.N.

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex (Chronic 310 beds). Res. or non-res.

South Lodge Hospital, Worth Lane, London, N.21 (243 beds). Res. or non-res. **ONE,** part-time for [illegible] work.

The Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, E.2. Res. or non-res. Also required at Banstead Branch, Surrey, R.S.C.N. Applications to Matron, Hackney Road, E.2.

Thurrock Hospital, Grays, Essex (General and I.D.—90 beds). Res. S.R.N. R.F.N. or with B.T.A. Certificate.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Orsett Branch), Orsett, Essex (Training School for General Register. Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Tilbury Branch), Tilbury, Essex (Training School for General Register — 74 beds). Res. or non-res. For night duty in theatre and casualty.

Victoria Hospital, Romford, Essex (General—99 beds). Res. Required for this busy delightful hospital.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Harts Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (Tuberculosis—100 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. or T.A. Certificate. Facilities given for taking B.T.A. Certificate.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex (Chronic Sick—424 beds). Res. or non-res. Additional staff required for opening of further beds.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Tilbury Branch), Tilbury, Essex (Training School for General Register — 74 beds). Res. or non-res. For night duty in Theatre and Casualty.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Modern Chest Hospital—312 beds). Res. or non-res. **MALE** and **FEMALE** Nurses. Post-graduate course in T.B. Certificate, one year. Entries May and November. Service allowance £30 p.a.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (Fevers — 246 beds). **FEMALE.** Res. or non-res. Nurses (Post-registration). S.R.N. one year Post-graduate Course).

Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (400 beds). There are vacancies for State Registered Nurses for the B.T.A. one-year course training in conjunction with the Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex. [illegible] six months at Herts and Essex General Hospital; final six months at [illegible] Hospital.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver St., Edmonton, London, N.18 (General [illegible] beds). Applications invited from Registered Nurses wishing to take **Theatre** experience. Six months [illegible] 1st April and 1st June, 1957. [illegible] cate given on completion of course.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School—516 beds). Res. or non-res. For Sanatorium.

Brentwood District Hospital, Brentwood, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School—50 beds). Non-res.

Chelmsford and Essex Hospital, London Road, Chelmsford, Essex (162 beds). Non-res. For Recovery Ward.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (246 beds). Res. or non-res. Full-time or part-time. For Geriatric Wards.

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E.E.A. Nurses or Nursing Auxiliaries d for small Geriatric Hospital. ies and conditions of service as per ey Scale.
, with Matron's name for reference ron. (1029)

E ROYAL MARSDEN HOSPITAL LHAM ROAD, LONDON, S.W.3
cies for Registered Female Assistant who have had good experience and erested in the nursing of cancer and d diseases. Resident or non-resident. ey Council scales of salary.
to Matron. (46)

WINSLOW HOSPITAL WINSLOW, BUCKS.
Sick and Mental Deficiency Hospital) ing Auxiliaries (female) required. accommodation available. £260—£445 p.a. according to age. tions, quoting two names for refer- Matron. (2240)

OKE MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL AYLESBURY, BUCKS.
Nursing Auxiliaries (female) required. or non-resident.
£260—£445 p.a., according to
with two names for reference to quoting ref. X.2. (2360)

NERAL HOSPITAL, HEXHAM HAM AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
STUDENT NURSES
will shortly be vacancies for female Nurses at the above hospital, which mplete Training School for Nurses. commences on 4th December, 1956. ants should be 18 years of age or have a good general standard of A training allowance of £260 made for the first year, with a de- f £119 p.a. for board and lodging. ation should be made to the Matron, be pleased to give any further s or information desired.
W. STOKELL,
Group Secretary.
(2450)

E ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL BARTHOLOMEW'S HOSPITAL TEACHING GROUP STOCKWOOD PARK LUTON, BEDFORDSHIRE
are vacancies for **Probationer Nurses** r two years' training suitable for to starting General or Children's or Physiotherapy. Lectures given edical and Nursing Staff.
£71 p.a., increasing to £81 in ar. Uniform provided. One month's a. Forty-eight hour week.
atron. (6)

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL ILDREN'S DEPARTMENT CESS LOUISE KENSINGTON PITAL FOR CHILDREN AND NGTON GREEN CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
occur in January, April and girls of 18 years and over to Registered Sick Children's Nurses. s accepted for two year course. r brochure and application form , Princess Louise Kensington r Children, St. Quintin Avenue, .10. (26)

UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS ERAL INFIRMARY AT LEEDS
(950 beds)
s vacancies for **Student Nurses.** ulum of training covers a period ars, excluding the period in the Training School, followed by a months' service as a Staff Nurse Registered Nurses' salary of paid.
tandard of education is required. system of training is in force. on a Supplementary Register are a shortened period of training. allowance of £260 is paid for r, £270 for the second year, plus ment of £5 after passing the State Examination, and £285 rd year. From the allowance, the hospital of £119 per annum board and lodging. After State Nurses will receive £417, of paid to the hospital for board
r particulars apply by letter to of the General Infirmary at Leeds. pleased to interview parents of candidates. (7)

NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

CONTINUED

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Chase Side, Enfield, Middlesex (General Practitioner—61 beds). Res. or non-res.

Forest Hospital, Buckhurst Hill, Essex (General — Assistant Nurse Training School—44 beds). Res. or non-res.

German Hospital, Dalston, London, E.8 (General—157 beds). Res. or non-res.

Hackney Hospital, London, E.9 (841 beds). Res. or non-res. For Geriatric Wards or Maternity Wards.

Harold Court Hospital, Harold Court Road, Harold Wood, Essex (T.B. Women —62 beds). Res. or non-res. Full or part-time.

Harold Wood Hospital, Gubbins Lane, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School—415 beds). Res. or non-res. Required in all wards.

Harts Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (Tuberculosis—100 beds). Res. or non-res.

Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (400 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for full-time duties on General Wards.

High Wood Hospital for Children, Brentwood, Essex (Tuberculosis Children —254 beds). Res. or non-res. Opportunity to take T.A. Cert.

Jubilee Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (General — 54 beds — Assistant Nurse Training School). Res. or non-res.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Rd., London, E.14 (General—120 beds). Non-res.

St. Andrew's Hospital Annexe, Billericay, Essex. Res. or non-res. Female Ambulant Sick Patients. Day and night duty. **Apply to Matron, Thurrock Hospital, Grays, Essex.**

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, London, E.3 (General—94 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Faith's Hospital, London Road, Brentwood, Essex (Sane Epileptics—437 beds, and General Medical Unit — 29 beds). Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds). Res. or non-res. Also **ONE** for Midwifery Unit. Resident.

St. Mary's Hospital for Women and Children, Upper Road, Plaistow, E.13 (84 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex (Chronic—310 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Peter's Hospital, Maldon, Essex (256 beds). Res. or non-res. For Chronic Sick Wards.

Thurrock Hospital, Grays, Essex (T.B. and I.D.—90 beds). Res. or non-res.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Orsett Branch), Orsett, Essex (227 beds). Training School for General Register. Res. or non-res.

Waltham Abbey War Memorial Hospital, Farm Hill Road, Waltham Abbey, Essex (Medical and Surgical Acute—24 beds). Resident. Hospital in country surroundings, on main bus routes and within easy reach of London (13 miles). Modern and comfortable nurses' home.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (Fevers—246 beds). Res. or non-res. For T.B. Wards or Geriatric Wards.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, London, E.3 (General—94 beds). Non-res.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Orsett Branch), Orsett, Essex (Approved Training School—227 beds). Res. or non-res.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (FEMALE)

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (246 beds). Res. or non-res. Experienced, for Geriatric Wards.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Rd., London, E.14 (General—120 beds). Non-res.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, London, E.3 (General—94 beds). Res. or non-res.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

WARD SISTER

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, London, E.3 (Mental Observation Unit —12 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., R.M.N.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (622 beds). Res. or non-res. Female Psychiatric Unit.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, London, E.3 (Psychiatric Unit—36 beds). Res. or non-res. R.M.P.A.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (622 beds). Res. or non-res. Female Psychiatric Unit.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (FEMALE)

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, London, E.3 (Psychiatric Unit—36 beds). Res. or non-res.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (FEMALE)—Contd.

Claybury Hospital (For Nervous and Mental Disorders), Woodford Bridge, Woodford Green, Essex (1,300 beds). Res. or non-res.

General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (622 beds). Res. or non-res. Female Psychiatric Unit.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (MALE)

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, London, E.3 (Observation Unit — 12 beds). Non-res.

NURSING ASSISTANT (MALE) or AUXILIARY

Forest House, Leytonstone, London, E.11. Non-res. Application forms obtainable from and returnable to the Secretary, Leytonstone Group H.M.C., Langthorne Hospital, London, E.11. (33)

S. AFRICA

SENIOR NIGHT SISTERS and DAY STAFF required
immediate vacancies.
Apply, enclosing self addressed envelope:
Home, Colonial and Overseas Nurses' Association,
39, Welbeck Street, London, W.1. (835)

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR GREENOCK AND DISTRICT HOSPITALS

There are vacancies for **Post-registration Student Nurses** for two years' General Training.

For further particulars apply to Matron, Royal Infirmary, Greenock. (2351)

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

Assistant Matron required by Voluntary Society at its Residential Nursery, near Orpington, Kent. Applications invited from Evangelical Christians (over age 30) with Nursing or Child Care Training, and real love for deprived children. Apply stating age, experience and Church connection, to the Principal, 37 Sekforde Street, Clerkenwell, E.C.1. (2296)

Assistant Matron (single) required for modern Convalescent Home at Broadstairs, Kent. 49 beds. Men only. Must be hospital trained and not over 45 years of age. Prospect of future promotion. Commencing salary £250 p.a., increased to £300 p.a. on appointment to permanent staff. Superannuation Fund. Generous leave. No deductions other than National Insurance, Income Tax and Superannuation Fund. Emoluments:—Private quarters, full board, laundry, etc. Cash payment in lieu during periods of absence from home on leave, etc. Apply in writing, giving full particulars, including age, to Secretary, Hearts of Oak Benefit Society Euston Road, London, N.W.1. (2214)

Accommodation in comfortable home offered by semi-invalid (Parkinsons but active). Evening companionship and help required. Person out part of day might be suitable. Surbiton, Surrey area. Apply Box 2459, Nursing Times, St. Martin's Street, London, W.C.2. (2459)

General Duty Nurses (Female). Monthly salary £75, or (when registered in Ontario) £79, less £12 for full maintenance. There is a scheduled rate of increase. 48-hour week; 8-hour broken day; 3-11 p.m. and 11.00 p.m. to 7.00 a.m. in rotation; cumulative sick leave; pension plan, Blue Cross Hospitalization and three weeks vacation with pay at the end of one year of service. Apply to Superintendent of Nurses, Muskoka Hospital for Treatment of Tuberculosis, Gravenhurst, Ontario, Canada. (2266)

GOUDHURST SCHOOL FOR BOYS BETHANY, GOUDHURST KENT

Wanted, for January, for this independent boarding school, a suitably qualified and experienced **Junior Matron,** to be in charge of 20 boys, ages 8-11.

Salary according to qualifications and experience. The post is resident.

Applications, together with copies of two testimonials, and the names of two referees, to be sent to the Headmaster, from whom further details may be obtained. (2275)

Head Matron, S.R.N. required in January, for Boys' Preparatory School. First class references essential. £300 increased to £400. Superannuation scheme. Apply Head Master, Hawtreys, Savernake, Marlborough. (2426)

Kent County Council require **Assistant Matron** at the Medway Old People's Homes, Rochester. Salary £305 x £15—£350, with emoluments valued for superannuation purposes at £140 a year. Preference will be given to persons with previous nursing experience. Applications to County Medical Officer, County Hall, Maidstone. (2418)

Lady (S.R.N.) age not over 50, required to take entire charge of general country nursing home (20 beds), for three months from 15th January, view to permanent appointment later. Please state religion and training school and salary required. Interview London. Apply Matron, c/o H.D. Howard House, Arundel Street, Strand, London. (2333)

Matron (S.R.N. or R.S.C.N.) required. Residential Nursery, Felixstowe. Babies under two. Also **Training Centre Nursery Nurses.** Communicant Member of C. of E. Apply quoting N/28 and this publication, Children's Society, Old Town Hall, Kennington, S.E.11. (2196)

Mental Nurse, middle aged, to help with daughter (42) returning home from hospital. State salary required. References. Mrs. Rigby, Kingsmon Cottage, Salford, Nr. Chipping Norton, Oxon. (2315)

Male S.R.N. required, preferably with Queen's Training. Whitley scale of salary. Resident or non-resident. Apply Superintendent, Queen's Institute of District Nursing, Erleigh Road, Reading. (2323)

Nursing Auxiliaries for Peppard Chest Hospital, Nr. Henley-on-Thames, Oxon. Men £330—£425 p.a. Women £315—£410 p.a., less £137 for board residence, etc., if resident. Apply Matron. (51)

Nursing Assistants required at the Australasian (Dr. Barnardo's) Hospital, Barkingside, Essex. Five day week. Write or 'phone, The Matron, Telephone VALentine 4897. (2384)

LEEDS REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Management Committees applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the Matron of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated), from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions are in accordance with the appropriate National Agreement.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, LEEDS, 12

(Maternity—109 beds)

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT. (Resident or non-resident). Post offers excellent experience in nursing administration.

SISTER TUTORS

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY, Prospect Street, Hull (General—149 beds). One of three. Opportunity for enterprising tutor to work with progressive team in expanding hospital. Study day system of education.

ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL, Harrogate (Rheumatic Diseases—147 beds). and **KNARESBOROUGH HOSPITAL, Knaresborough** (Geriatric and Chronic —112 beds). Joint Assistant Nurse Training School. Sister Tutor with duties at both hospitals.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

HARROGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Knaresborough Road, Harrogate (Training School for Nurses) (General and Maternity—253 beds). Required for General side only—staff of two Night Sisters. Ward Sister's experience in General Training School essential. Bed-sitting room available if required.

HULL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Hedon Road, Hull (74 beds). Hospital is Part I Training School.

SEACROFT HOSPITAL, Leeds, 14 (Fever—199 beds. Children—158 beds). In charge of three Night Sisters.

HOME SISTERS

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, Keighley (Complete Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital) (General—139 beds). The appointment includes some relief administrative duties. Resident.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Keighley (Chronic—200 beds, Maternity—24 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. with relief administrative duties.

WAKEFIELD GENERAL HOSPITAL, Park Lodge Lane, Wakefield (General and Maternity—158 beds).

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL (NORTH), Leeds, 9 (Chronic Sick—494 beds). Good opportunities for administrative experience.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY (SUTTON), Sutton-on-Hull, Hull (General—216 beds). **Experienced Theatre Superintendent** required immediately. Apply Matron, Hull Royal Infirmary, Prospect Street, Hull.

THISTLE HILL HOSPITAL, Knaresborough (I.D. and Paediatric—54 beds).

NIGHT SISTERS

EAST RIDING GENERAL HOSPITAL, Driffield, Yorks. (General—247 beds). Second Night Sister.

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, Keighley (Complete Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital) (General—139 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. To work under Night Superintendent.

PINDERFIELDS GENERAL HOSPITAL, Wakefield (594 beds). One of four.

RIPON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Firby Lane, Ripon (General and Maternity—47 beds). In sole charge.

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, Rothwell, Nr. Leeds (Geriatric—309 beds). Resident or non-resident. Hospital is training school for Assistant Nurses.

ST. HILDA'S HOSPITAL, Whitby (Geriatric—52 beds, Part III—48 beds).

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Keighley (Chronic—200 beds). In sole charge. For Chronic Wards.

ST. WINIFRED'S MATERNITY HOME, Wells Road, Ilkley (12 beds). In sole charge.

SCARBOROUGH HOSPITAL, Scarborough (General—190 beds). One of three working under Night Superintendent.

SEACROFT HOSPITAL, Leeds, 14 (Fever—199 beds. Children—158 beds). One of three.

THEATRE SISTERS

SEACROFT HOSPITAL, Leeds, 14 (Fever—199 beds. Children—158 beds). E.N.T., ophthalmic and general surgery.

SISTERS

GATEFORTH HOSPITAL, Nr. Selby, Yorks. (Tuberculosis—100 beds). Sister or Charge Nurse. S.R.N. Training offered for B.T.A. Certificate if not already in possession

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newall Carr Road, Otley (General—172 beds). Junior Ward Sisters.

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL (Complete Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital. General—139 beds). For Male and Female Medical Ward.

MORTON BANKS INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL, Keighley (I.D.—72 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., and preferably also R.F.N. Non-resident.

NORTHFIELD SANATORIUM, Driffield, Yorks. (Tuberculosis—78 beds). Ward Sister.

ST. HILDA'S HOSPITAL, Whitby (Geriatric—52 beds. Part III—48 beds). Ward Sister.

SANDAL GRANGE HOSPITAL, Walton Lane, Wakefield (Chronic—40 beds). Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident.

SCARBOROUGH HOSPITAL, Scarborough (General—190 beds). For Children's Ward. R.S.C.N. preferred. Also Second Sister for Gynaecological and Private Wards.

SISTERS—Contd.

SELBY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Doncaster Road, Selby (Surgi 30 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

SNAPETHORPE HOSPITAL, Broadway, Wakefield (I.D. and T.B.—101 b Junior Ward Sisters or Staff Nurses.

VICTORIA HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, Park Street, Hull (Childr 143 beds). For E.N.T. Ward, S.R.N., R.S.C.N., or S.R.N. with E.N.T. trai Also Ophthalmic Sister for Ward of 14 beds, S.R.N., R.S.C.N. or S.R.N. w Ophthalmic Certificate.

WESTWOOD HOSPITAL, Beverley, Yorks. (General—229 beds). Junior S for Theatre.

WOODGATES MATERNITY HOME, North Ferriby, E. Yorks. (Materni 24 beds). Ward Sisters.

MALE CHARGE NURSE

GATEFORTH HOSPITAL, Nr. Selby, Yorks. (Tuberculosis—100 beds). Ch Nurse or Sister. S.R.N. Training offered for B.T.A. Certificate if not already possession.

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY (SUTTON), Sutton-on-Hull, Hull (Genera 216 beds). For Theatre. Apply to the Matron. Hull Royal Infirmary, Pros Street, Hull.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

CARLTON LODGE MATERNITY HOME, Leeds Road, Harrogate (Mater —11 beds).

EAST RIDING GENERAL HOSPITAL, Driffield, Yorks. (General—247 bed Resident or non-resident.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newall Carr Road, Otley (172 beds). Staff Nu S.R.N.; also one for Theatre work.

HORNSEA COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Hornsea, Yorks. (General—23 beds). T required.

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY, Prospect Street, Hull (General—149 bed Theatre Staff Nurses.

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY (SUTTON), Sutton-on-Hull, Hull, Yo (General—216 beds). For Children's Ward; night duty. Apply Matron, H Royal Infirmary, Prospect Street, Hull.

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, Keighley (Comp Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital) (General—139 beds). Theatre, for Private Wards and also for night duty.

KINGSTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Beverley Road, Hull (General—398 bed Staff Nurses, also Theatre Staff Nurse—alternative day and night duty. Resi or non-resident.

NORTHFIELD SANATORIUM, Driffield, Yorks. (Tuberculosis—78 beds).

PUBLIC DISPENSARY AND HOSPITAL, Leeds, 2 (General—28 be Non-resident.

RIPON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Firby Lane, Ripon, Yorks. (General Maternity—47 beds). For General Ward.

ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL, Cornwall Road, Harrogate (Rheumatic Dis —147 beds). One for Medical Floor. One for night duty.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Fell Lane, Keighley (Chronic Sick—200 be Maternity—24 beds).

SCARBOROUGH HOSPITAL, Scarborough (General—190 beds).

SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (T.B.—303 be T.A.C.

SEACROFT HOSPITAL, Leeds, 14 (Fever—199 beds. Children—158 be Theatre Staff Nurse.

SKIPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Skipton (64 beds). Staff Nurses for Ward, Theatre, Casualty Department and for night duty.

SNAPETHORPE HOSPITAL, Broadway, Wakefield (I.D. and T.B.—101 be Staff Nurses or Junior Ward Sisters

VICTORIA HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, Park Street, Hull (Chil —143 beds). For day and night duty for Wards and Theatre.

WHITE HART HOSPITAL, Cold Bath Road, Harrogate (Rheumatic Dis —133 beds). One for Medical Floor, one for Orthopaedic Floor and on night duty.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Fell Lane, Keighley (Chronic Sick—200 be Maternity—24 beds).

POST REGISTRATION COURSES

KILLINGBECK HOSPITAL, Leeds, 14 (Tuberculosis—227 beds). Male Female S.R.N.s for one year course for B.T.A. Certificate. S.R.N.s with months T.B. training under secondment scheme accepted for nine months co

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BINGLEY HOSPITAL, Bingley (Complete Training School in conjunction Keighley and District Victoria Hospital) (General—68 beds). Female.

CARLTON LODGE MATERNITY HOME, Leeds Road, Harrogate (Mater —11 beds).

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newall Carr Road, Otley (172 beds).

HORNSEA COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Hornsea, Yorks. (General—23 be

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY, Prospect Street, Hull (General—149 be For General Wards.

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, Keighley (Com Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital) (General—139 be Female.

LEEDS REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

KINGSTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Beverley Road, Hull (General—398 beds). Male or female. Non-resident.

NORTHFIELD SANATORIUM, Driffield, Yorks. (Tuberculosis—78 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL, Cornwall Road, Harrogate (Rheumatic Diseases —147 beds).

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL (NORTH), Leeds, 9 (Chronic Sick—494 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Keighley (Chronic—200 beds, Maternity—24 beds). Male and Female.

SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (T.B.—303 beds).

SKIPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Skipton (64 beds). Female.

SNAPETHORPE HOSPITAL, Broadway, Wakefield (I.D. and T.B.—101 beds).

THISTLE HILL HOSPITAL, Knaresborough (I.D. and Paediatric—54 beds).

WHITE HART HOSPITAL, Cold Bath Road, Harrogate (Rheumatic Diseases —133 beds).

WOODGATES MATERNITY HOME, North Ferriby, E. Yorks. (Maternity—[illegible] beds). For day or night duty.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

CAWDER GHYLL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Skipton (16 beds).

HALIFAX GENERAL HOSPITAL, Halifax (General—425 beds). Maternity Department of 100 beds. Part I Midwifery Training School.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, Leeds, 12 (109 beds). Good experience in all branches of midwifery, including Labour Ward, Lying-in Ward and Premature Baby Unit. Resident or non-resident.

ST. WINIFRED'S MATERNITY HOME, Wells Road, Ilkley (12 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

CARLTON LODGE MATERNITY HOME, Leeds Road, Harrogate (Maternity—[illegible] beds).

EAST RIDING GENERAL HOSPITAL, Driffield, Yorks. (General—247 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ESKDALE HOSPITAL, Whitby (23 beds).

FOUR GABLES MATERNITY HOME, Clarence Road, Horsforth, Nr. Leeds (Maternity—20 beds). Day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newall Carr Road, Otley (General—172 beds).

HALIFAX GENERAL HOSPITAL, Halifax (General—425 beds). Maternity Department of 100 beds. Part I Midwifery Training School.

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, Keighley (General—[illegible] beds) (Complete Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital). For day and night duty.

RIPON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Firby Lane, Ripon (General and Maternity—47 beds).

ST. LUKE'S MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Bradford (125 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ST. WINIFRED'S MATERNITY HOME, Wells Road, Ilkley (12 beds).

WOODGATES MATERNITY HOME, North Ferriby, E. Yorks. (Maternity [illegible] beds). Full-time or part-time.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

HALIFAX GENERAL HOSPITAL, Halifax (General—425 beds). Maternity Department of 100 beds. Schools commence November, 1956, February and May, 1957. Limited vacancies for non-S.R.N. Pupils. One weeks theoretical tuition prior to commencing course.

HULL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Hedon Road, Hull (Maternity—74 beds). Part I Examination of the Central Midwives' Board. Approved arrangements for gas and air analgesia and good experience provided in the care of premature babies. Obstetric and paediatric lectures given by specialists and qualified midwifery tutor. One weeks preparatory course in class room before commencing training.

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL (MATERNITY UNIT) (66 beds). Training commences January, April and July, 1957, for S.R.N.s or R.S.C.N.s. One week's preparatory training before entering wards, and one week's study course on completion of training prior to the Central Midwives Board Examination. One day and one day off per week. Two qualified tutors. Good experience in all branches of midwifery, also in premature baby unit. Modern Nurses' Home. Hospital situated one mile from the city centre.

ST. LUKE'S MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Bradford (125 beds). For First Period Midwifery Training, must be S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. One study day and one day off per week arranged. Instruction in premature baby care given. Hospital conveniently situated 10 minutes walk from City centre. Second period training can be taken in Bradford if desired. For brochure and application form apply Matron.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, Leeds, 12 (109 beds). S.R.N.s only are now being enrolled to prepare for the Central Midwives' Board Examination. Training commences January and February, April and May, July and August, October and November. Two qualified Midwifery Tutors are responsible for the supervision of training in Theory and Practice. Two weeks Theoretical Course is given prior to entering wards. A study day and day off per week. Obstetrics and Paediatric lectures are given by Consultants on the hospital staff. Good experience is available in the care of premature babies, also normal and abnormal midwifery. The hospital is pleasantly situated in its own grounds, 3½ miles from the city centre and it can be reached easily by a frequent bus service. A brochure is available on application to the Matron. Pupils may be resident or non-resident.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

KNARESBOROUGH HOSPITAL, Stockwell Road, Knaresborough (Geriatric and Chronic—112 beds). Female.

SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (T.B.—303 beds). Male.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

WARD SISTERS

BROADGATE HOSPITAL, Beverley, Yorks. (Mental—650 beds). Apply Group Secretary, Westwood Hospital, Beverley, Yorks.

SCALEBOR PARK, Burley-in-Wharfedale, Nr. Leeds, Yorks. (Mental—323 beds). Ward Sisters R.M.N./R.M.P.A. essential. S.R.N. desirable. Also two **Ward Sisters** to open New Villas.

STANLEY ROYD HOSPITAL, Wakefield (Mental—1,976 beds).

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

BRANDESBURTON HALL, Brandesburton, Driffield, Yorkshire (M.D. —318 beds).

BROADGATE HOSPITAL, Beverley, Yorks. (Mental—650 beds). Apply Group Secretary, Westwood Hospital, Beverley, Yorks.

DEPUTY CHARGE NURSE

CARDIGAN HOSPITAL, Carr Gate, Nr. Wakefield (M.D.—40 beds). R.N.M.D. Applications to Chief Male Nurse, Oulton Hall Hospital, Oulton, Nr. Leeds.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

BRANDESBURTON HALL, Brandesburton, Driffield, Yorkshire (M.D. —318 beds). Four required.

SCALEBOR PARK, Burley-in-Wharfedale, Nr. Leeds, Yorks. (Mental—323 beds). Staff Nurses, including three to open New Villas.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

SCALEBOR PARK, Burley-in-Wharfedale, Nr. Leeds, Yorks. (Mental—323 beds). Three required to open New Villas.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

WHARFE GRANGE, Linton Road, Wetherby (M.D.—74 beds).

NURSING ASSISTANTS

WHARFE GRANGE, Linton Road, Wetherby (M.D.—74 beds).

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

There are vacancies at the undermentioned hospitals. Training allowances and conditions of service in accordance with the Whitley Council scales. Applications to Matron of hospital concerned.

HALIFAX GENERAL HOSPITAL, Halifax (General—425 beds). Female. Complete General Training School and also Part I Midwifery Training School. Nurses on Supplementary Register accepted for two years General Training Course at any time.

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY (SCHOOL OF NURSING), Prospect Street, Hull (General—358 beds). Vacancies occur in January, April, July and October each year for well-educated girls of 18 years and over who wish to become State Registered Nurses. Complete training, with study day system, is given in general nursing over a period of three years, excluding 12 weeks in the Preliminary Training School. Nurses on the Supplementary Register may be accepted for a reduced period. The hospital comprises a recently built ward block of 116 beds and residences for students in ideal surroundings.

KEIGHLEY AND BINGLEY HOSPITALS JOINT TRAINING SCHOOL (Incorporating Keighley and District Victoria Hospital, Keighley—139 general beds, and Bingley Hospital, Bingley—68 general beds). **Female** of 18 years or over. Modified block system of training is in operation. Three year course includes 12 weeks in preliminary training school at Harrogate. Modern Nurses Homes. Applications forms from Matron of either hospital.

KILLINGBECK HOSPITAL, Leeds, 14 (Tuberculosis—227 beds). Male and Female, of good education, for four year course combining General and Tuberculosis Nursing. First two years at Killingbeck Hospital for Preliminary State Examination and B.T.A. Certificate, followed by two years at St. James's Hospital, Leeds. Students also accepted for two years training for B.T.A. Certificate only.

ROYAL HALIFAX INFIRMARY, Halifax (General—301 beds). Male and female. Complete General Training School. Nurses on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' General Training Course at any time.

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL (SOUTH), Leeds, 9 (General—713 beds). Female, 18 years of age or over. A system of study days is in operation.

SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (T.B.—303 beds). Male or Female.

STANLEY ROYD HOSPITAL, Wakefield (Mental—1,976 beds). Male and female.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

For two years' training for Roll of Assistant Nurses.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newall Carr Road, Otley (172 beds). **Male or female.**

LLOYD HOSPITAL, Bridlington (50 beds).

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Halifax (Chronic Sick—382 beds). Male and female. Board residence available for female pupils.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Keighley (Chronic Sick—200 beds, Maternity—24 beds) and **RAIKESWOOD HOSPITAL, Skipton** (Chronic Sick—143 beds, Acute Medical—28 beds). Female pupils at both hospitals, resident or non-resident; and male pupils at St. John's Hospital, non-resident. Preliminary Training School at St. John's Hospital. Application forms, etc., from Matron of either hospital.

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses and Pupil Midwives, at training hospitals (including Mental Hospitals and Mental Deficiency Institutions) in all parts of the Region. Applicants who wish to enter training should write to the Matron of the hospital of their choice referred to in the above advertisement. (67)

MANCHESTER REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the undermentioned appointments which should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training and experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to THE MATRON of the appropriate Hospital, from whom further details may be obtained if necessary. Salaries in accordance with appropriate National Scales.

LANCASHIRE

TUTORS

Preston Royal Infirmary, Preston (General and Maternity—401 beds). Certificated Sister Tutor (female) required to assist Principal Tutor.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

Monsall Hospital, Newton Heath, Manchester, 10 (465 beds). S.R.N., R.F.N.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Manchester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B. Chest Surgery—402 beds). Duties to include care of health of all grades of staff and relieve administrative staff.

Manchester Victoria Memorial Jewish Hospital, Elizabeth Street, Manchester, 8 (General—104 beds). For Casualty and Out-patient Department. Post vacant at end of November.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

Birch Hill Hospital, Rochdale (General—951 beds). Applicants should have held the post of Ward Sister. Good experience for those wishing to take up Nursing Administration.

Elswick Hospital, Nr. Kirkham (T.B.—70 beds).

NIGHT SISTERS IN SOLE CHARGE

Devonshire Road Hospital, Blackpool (T.B. and I.D. Medical—128 beds). S.R.N., R.F.N., or some fever experience. Resident or non-resident.

Oldham and District General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Geriatric Unit—Training School for Assistant Nurses). (975 beds. 360 Geriatric). Resident or non-resident. Appointments are vacant in the recently established Geriatric Unit, and provide an opportunity for obtaining experience in all aspects of Geriatric Medicine, the emphasis being placed on Clinical Medicine. Applications to Matron, Mrs. E. Brumpton.

Withington Hospital, Manchester, 20 (General Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery) (1,100 beds, including 110 Maternity). For Maternity Unit. Establishment four Night Sisters.

DUCHESS OF YORK HOSPITAL FOR BABIES
BURNAGE LANE
LEVENSHULME, MANCHESTER 19

(103 sick babies beds 0-5 years)

Night Superintendent, S.R.N. and R.S.C.N. Senior of three trained staff. Post is resident or non-resident.

Night Sister, Junior required. R.S.C.N. or S.R.N. with good children's experience.

The hospital is a Training School for sick children's nurses.

NIGHT SISTERS

Monsall Hospital, Newton Heath, Manchester, 10 (465 beds). S.R.N., R.F.N., or good fever experience.

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute—600 beds). Two required. Training School for Student Nurses.

Royal Infirmary, Blackburn (Acute—262 beds). One of two. Hours: 9 p.m. to 8 a.m. Alternate week-ends. Five nights.

Aitken Sanatorium, Holcombe Brook, Nr. Bury (78 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Fall Birch Hospital, Lostock, Nr. Bolton (Female Pulmonary T.B.—56 beds).

HOME SISTERS

Manchester Northern Hospital, Cheetham Hill Road, Manchester, 8 (Complete Training School for Nurses) (General—116 beds). Modern Nurses' Home. Duties include relieving Assistant Matron. Resident.

Manchester Victoria Memorial Jewish Hospital, Elizabeth Street, Manchester, 8 (General—104 beds). Duties include care of sick staff and relief in Matron's office.

THEATRE SISTERS

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute—600 beds). For a very busy Theatre Unit. Theatre Night Sister also required.

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan (Orthopaedic Surgery— 300 beds, Major Thoracic Surgery—52 beds). Scale salary plus £15 every six months.

Fairfield General Hospital, Bury (496 beds). Junior required. S.R.N.

Billinge Hospital, Orrell, Nr. Wigan (General, Maternity and Mental — 370 beds).

Birch Hill Hospital, Rochdale (General—951 beds). Must be S.R.N. Previous Theatre experience as a Staff Nurse essential.

SISTERS IN CHARGE

Withington Hospital, Manchester, 20 (General Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery) (1,100 beds, including 110 Maternity). (a) Senior Sister for Female Unit of five wards with a total of 58 beds. Medical, Skin and Geriatric Patients. Resident or non-resident. (b) Sister for 30-bedded Female Admission Unit for Geriatric Annexe. (Recently reconstructed and decorated). Resident or non-resident. (c) Sister required for 40-bedded Female Sub-Acute Medical and Geriatric Unit (Recently re-constructed and decorated).

WARD SISTERS

Monsall Hospital, Newton Heath, Manchester, 10 (465 beds). For Poliomyelitis Unit.

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute—600 beds). (a) For Modern Premature Baby Unit. (b) For Surgical Ward of 27 beds. Resident or non-resident.

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan (Orthopaedic Surgery— 300 beds, Major Thoracic Surgery—52 beds). Junior. Scale salary plus £15 every six months.

Royal Infirmary, Blackburn (Acute—262 beds). Second required for eye ward, previous experience in eye work preferred, but not essential.

Grove House Recovery Home, Barrowford, Nr. Nelson (Recovery—33 beds). (Resident or non-resident). Apply to Matron, Reedyford Memorial Hospital, Nelson.

Bridgewater Hospital, Patricroft (Chronic Sick and Mental—319 beds). For recently modernised Female Geriatric Ward. Resident or non-resident.

Park Hospital, Davyhulme (General—433 beds, Midwifery Unit—73 beds). Day and Night Sisters for premature baby unit, preferably with premature baby experience, but not essential. Unit fitted with up to date equipment and there is a Consultant Paediatrician in attendance.

Bury General Hospital, Walmersley Road, Bury (159 beds). Juniors for (a) Private Nursing Home (12 beds). (b) Out-patient Department.

Booth Hall Children's Hospital, Blackley, Manchester, 9 (380 beds). Medical Ward.

Hulton Hospital, Hulton Lane, Bolton (Training School for Assistant Nurses). (Partly Acute—131 beds). For small Surgical Unit with Theatre attached.

SISTERS

Royal Infirmary, Blackburn (Acute—262 beds). Second for E.N.T. Department with responsibility for operating theatre.

RELIEF SISTERS

Withington Hospital, Manchester, 20 (General Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery) (1,100 beds, including 110 Maternity). For duties on General side (S.R.N.) and for relief duties on the Maternity Unit (S.R.N., S.C.M.) Permanent posts.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute—600 beds). For 80-bedded Unit with Modern Premature Baby Unit attached.

Withington Hospital, Manchester, 20 (General Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery) (1,100 beds, including 110 Maternity). For 110-bedded Modern Unit.

Preston Royal Infirmary, Preston (General and Maternity—401 beds). Part I Midwifery Training School.

Bolton District General Hospital, Farnworth (Complete Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery Training School). (Mainly Acute—604 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute—600 beds). For 80-bedded Unit with Modern Premature Baby Unit attached.

Lytham Hospital, Lytham St. Annes (General—53 beds). Two required for Maternity Unit of 17 beds.

Milton Lodge Maternity Hospital, Fleetwood (Maternity—9 beds). For alternate day and night duties. (Ward and Labour Ward). Apply to Matron, Fleetwood Hospital.

Withington Hospital, Manchester, 20 (General Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery) (1,100 beds, including 110 Maternity). Resident or non-resident.

Bolton District General Hospital, Farnworth (Complete Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery Training School).

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute—600 beds). For the School commencing 1st November, 1956. Part I Training School for C.M.B. Certificate. Modern Unit with up-to-date Premature Baby Unit attached. Experience in the various Wards and Departments. Off duty daily with a weekly day off and alternate morning and half day Sundays.

Billinge Hospital, Orrell, Nr. Wigan (370 beds with busy Maternity Unit—72 beds). New school for Part II Midwifery Training opened in March, 1955. Vacancies for pupils at next school commencing 1st December, 1956, and thereafter at three monthly intervals 1st March, 1st June and 1st September, 1957. Opportunity for good experience of normal and abnormal midwifery. Gas and Air Course. Lectures by Consultant Medical Staff. Modern Premature Baby Unit.

Bolton District General Hospital, Farnworth (Complete Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery Training School). (Mainly Acute — 604 beds). S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. to undertake Part I Midwifery Training. Modern and busy Obstetrics Department providing special experience in premature infant unit, artificial feed room and gas/air analgesia. Lectures not included in off duty time.

PUPIL MIDWIVES—Contd.

Hope Hospital, Salford, 6 (726 beds, including 110 Maternity beds). S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. required. Vacancies Schools commencing November, February, May and August. Course includes week's preliminary instruction, study system and training in Gas and Analgesia. Facilities for Part II Training available with Salford District Service. Hospital is part of teaching unit for Obstetrics in association with Manchester University Medical School. Applications also invited from women of good education who have not had previous training. For the two year course in Midwifery. Brochure available on request, from Matron.

Withington Hospital, Manchester, (General Training School for Nurses. The hospital is part of the teaching unit Obstetrics and Surgery in association with Manchester University Medical School). (General—1,100 beds). There are vacancies in the school commencing on the 26th January, 1957, and at three monthly intervals. The course includes one weeks preliminary training prior to commencing the six months course. Weekly study day scheme midwifery education. Training in Gas and Air Analgesia is available. There are also vacancies for candidates for the 21 months course. (Non-S.R.N.) on 5th January, 1957 and at 3 monthly intervals.

Park Hospital, Davyhulme (General—433 beds, Midwifery Unit—73 beds). Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for Part I courses commencing 1st November, 1956 and February, 1957.

STAFF NURSES (THEATRE)

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Manchester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B. Chest Surgery — 402 beds). Experience in thoracic surgery not essential.

Billinge Hospital, Orrell, Nr. Wigan (General, Maternity and Mental — 370 beds).

Birch Hill Hospital, Rochdale (General—951 beds). Two, must be S.R.N. Good experience available in Theatre work.

STAFF NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute—600 beds). Full-time for Orthopaedic Out-patients Department. Orthopaedic Certificate desirable but not essential.

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Manchester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B. Chest Surgery—402 beds). S.R.N. or T.B. Certificate.

Christopher Private Patients Home, Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, Wigan (General—46 beds). For night duty.

Wesham Park Hospital, Wesham, Kirkham (Chronic Sick and L.M.T.—352 beds). S.R.N. Vacancies exist for one male for day duty and one female for night duty.

Oldham and District General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Geriatric Unit—Training School for Assistant Nurses). (975 beds, 360 Geriatric). Appointments are vacant in the recently established Geriatric Unit and provide an opportunity for obtaining experience in all aspects of Geriatric Medicine, the emphasis being placed on Clinical Medicine. Applications to Matron, Mrs. Brumpton.

Devonshire Road Hospital, Blackpool (T.B. and I.D. Medical—128 beds). S.R.N., with fever experience an advantage, for full-time duty. Resident or non-resident.

Withington Hospital, Manchester, (General Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery) (1,100 beds, including 110 Maternity). For (a) Medical Ward. (b) Male Surgical Ward. (c) Female Surgical Ward. (d) Out-patients Department (new unit recently opened). Geriatric Wards, Male and Female. Operating Theatre. (g) Night duty. Casualty Department. Resident or non-resident, full or part-time.

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan (Orthopaedic Surgery—300 beds, Major Thoracic Surgery—52 beds). Scale salary plus £15 every six months.

Bury General Hospital, Walmersley Road, Bury (159 beds). For General Ward duties.

OLDHAM AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL
ROCHDALE ROAD, OLDHAM

(975 beds, mainly General, including 72 Maternity)

Part I Training School—Modern Maternity Unit

NIGHT SISTER IN SOLE CHARGE. Good midwifery experience and an interest in the training of Pupil Midwives essential.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS. S.R.N., S.C.M. Should be experienced in all branches of midwifery and in the training of Pupil Midwives.

SISTERS. S.R.N., S.C.M., for day and night duty in paediatric and all other departments of the unit.

STAFF MIDWIVES. S.R.N., S.C.M. Good experience available in all departments.

PUPIL MIDWIVES. S.R.N. Good experience in all departments. Vacancies occur at three monthly intervals Lectures and tutorials given during hours of duty.

STAFF NURSES (female). For the paediatric and all departments of the unit. S.R.N. or S.R.C.N.

All posts may be resident or non-resident. Applications to Midwifery Superintendent.

MANCHESTER REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

LANCASHIRE—Contd.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Springfield Park Hospital, Rochdale Female Tuberculosis—40 beds). Resi...nt. With B.T.A. Certificate or Tuber...losis experience.

Birch Hill Hospital, Rochdale (General ...951 beds). Two, for premature baby ...it. Must be S.R.N. or S.C.M. Prema...re Baby Certificate may be obtained ...ter six months service.

POST-GRADUATE NURSES

Monsall Hospital, Newton Heath, Manchester, 10 (465 beds). Students for ...ever Certificate, and British Tuberculosis ...rtificate. Male or female

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute—600 ...ds). State Registered Nurses required ...r post-graduate training and the Pre-...ature Baby Unit. Certificates given ... completion of training.

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Man...ester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B. Chest ...rgery—402 beds). (a) Vacancies exist ...r one year's Post-graduate Training for ...e British Tuberculosis Association ...rtificate. Examinations held in May and ...ovember. (b) Applications are invited ...om Nurses desiring six months' post-...duate experience in a modern thoracic ...rgical unit. Certificate of training ...arded on completion of course. Lecture ...urse commences October, 1956.

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan ...rthopaedic Surgery—300 beds, Major ...oracic Surgery—52 beds). Staff Nurses ...r Post-graduate Training for British ...berculosis Association Certificate.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Man...ester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B. Chest ...rgery—402 beds). Opportunities to ...ain B.T.A. Certificate.

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan ...rthopaedic Surgery—300 beds. Major ...oracic Surgery—52 beds). For Theatre ...d Ward duties. Full-time or part-...e.

Oldham and District General Hospital, ...chdale Road, Oldham (Geriatric Unit Training School for Assistant Nurses). ...75 beds, 360 Geriatric). Appointments ... vacant in the recently established ...iatric Unit and provide an oppor-...ity for obtaining experience in all ...ects of Geriatric Medicine, the em-...sis being placed on Clinical Medicine. ...plications to Matron, Mrs. E. ...mpton.

Lytham Hospital, Lytham St. Annes ...neral—53 beds). Full-time. Resident ...non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)—Contd.

Withington Hospital, Manchester, 20 (General Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery) (1,100 beds, including 110 Maternity). For Maternity and Geriatric Units. Resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Devonshire Road Hospital, Blackpool (T.B. and I.D. Medical—128 beds). Required for full-time duty. Resident or non-resident.

Marsden Hospital, Burnley (T.B. and Isolation—78 beds). Full-time.

Fall Birch Hospital, Lostock, Nr. Bolton (Female Pulmonary T.B.—56 beds).

STUDENT NURSES

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Manchester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B. Chest Surgery — 402 beds). Four years' affiliated training for the B.T.A. Certificate and State Registration, or two years for the B.T.A. Certificate only.

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute—600 beds). Male and female required for Preliminary Training School commencing 7th January, 1957. Study day block system in operation. Nurses on Supplementary Register accepted for a reduced period of training.

Withington Hospital, Manchester, 20 (General Training School for Nurses. The hospital is part of the teaching unit for Obstetrics and Surgery in association with Manchester University Medical School) (General—1,100 beds). Vacancies exist in the Preliminary Training School in January, 1957, and at three monthly intervals. Nurses on the Supplementary part of the Register accepted for two years (immediate vacancies). Modern teaching unit. Exceptional training facilities. The hospital is situated in spacious grounds and the city affords wide facilities for sport, recreation and entertainment.

CHESHIRE

NIGHT SISTERS

Collar House, Prestbury (Medical—43 beds).

Stepping Hill Hospital, Stockport (General—535 beds). One of three, for the General Wards.

DEPARTMENTAL THEATRE SISTERS

Stepping Hill Hospital, Stockport (General—535 beds).

CHESHIRE—Contd.

THEATRE SISTERS

War Memorial Hospital, Congleton (Acute, Surgical and General Practitioner—33 beds).

Sale and Brooklands War Memorial Hospital, Charlton Drive, Sale (General and Maternity—35 beds). For General Surgery and Gynaecology Theatre. Resident or non-resident.

WARD SISTERS

West Heath Hospital, Congleton (Chronic Sick—54 beds).

Stepping Hill Hospital, Stockport (General—535 beds). For Acute Female Surgical Ward of 27 beds, including eight eye beds.

Altrincham General Hospital, Market Street, Altrincham (General—100 beds). For Female Medical and Surgical Wards. Resident or non-resident.

Stockport Infirmary, Stockport (General—163 beds). Experienced Sister required immediately. Duties for first six months **Relief Sister** on pleasant, modern Orthopaedic Wards. Excellent opportunity to enlarge orthopaedic experience.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Stepping Hill Hospital, Stockport (General—535 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

Stepping Hill Hospital, Stockport (General—535 beds). Required for modern Maternity Unit of 58 beds, which is a Part I Midwifery Training School for Pupil Midwives.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Stepping Hill Hospital, Stockport (General—535 beds). S.R.N. or non-S.R.N. for Part I Training. Vacancies for 22nd January, 1957.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Stockport Infirmary, Stockport (General—163 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Collar House, Prestbury (Medical—43 beds).

STUDENT NURSES

Stockport Infirmary, Stockport (General—163 beds). Resident or non-resident. Candidates commence in the Group Preliminary School and are coached throughout by qualified Sister Tutors. A day study system is also in operation. Nurses on the Supplementary Register are accepted for a shortened period of training.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

St. Thomas' Hospital, Stockport (Chronic—446 beds). Females, resident or non-resident, Males, non-resident. A short course of instruction in the Group Preliminary School precedes employment in the Chronic Sick Wards. Lectures and practical instruction in the art of nursing are given.

DERBYSHIRE

CORBAR HALL MATERNITY HOME BUXTON

(Maternity—11 beds)

Midwifery Sister for this new Maternity Home to be opened 1st December. One for full-time night duty (non-resident) also required.

Enrolled Assistant Nurses (Female) for this new Maternity Home to be opened on 1st December.

BUXTON HOSPITAL, BUXTON

(General—40 beds)

Sister required for the children's ward, also Home Sister duties. With housekeeping experience and capable of acting in Matron's absence.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

OLDHAM AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL ROCHDALE ROAD, OLDHAM

(Psychiatric Unit — Mainly General—975 beds, 128 Female Psychiatric)

Ward Sisters. Qualified in Mental Nursing, for Psychiatric Unit. Applications to Assistant Matron to the Unit.

BILLINGE HOSPITAL ORRELL, Nr. WIGAN

(General, Maternity and Mental—370 beds)

Staff Nurse (Male). Psychiatric Ward.

Nursing Assistants. Class I (Male and Female). Psychiatric Wards.

BRIDGEWATER HOSPITAL PATRICROFT, LANCS.

(Chronic Sick and Mental—319 beds)

Staff Nurses (Female). Resident or non-resident. For day duty and Female Mental Wards.

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for **Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses** and **Pupil Midwives** at Training Hospitals (including ...ntal Hospitals and Mental Deficiency Institutions) in all parts of the Region, which comprises parts of Lancashire, Cheshire, ...rbyshire and Westmorland. Applicants who wish to enter training should write to the Matron of the Hospital of their choice referred in the above advertisement, mentioning the advertisement in their letters. (70)

...OINTMENTS VACANT—Contd.

... Auxiliaries, resident or non-resi-...quired at Marlborough Children's ...ent Hospital, The Common, Marl-... Wilts. Approved salaries and con-... Apply Matron. (2395)

... Auxiliaries, resident or non-resi-...quired at Savernake Hospital, Nr. ...gh. Approved salaries and con-... Apply Matron. (2396)

...urse for Nursing Home in Worthing. ... conditions and pay. Full details ...2424, Nursing Times, St. Martin's ...ndon, W.C.2. (2424)

...nity for **Women** to train as ... with the **John Lewis Partnership.** ... chance to get into well established ... paid trade, with excellent prospects ...ture. Pay during training. Write ...rticulars of age and experience to ...tor of Personnel, John Lewis and ..., Oxford Street, W.1. (2407)

... vacancies occur for **S.R.N.s** for ... night duties. **Female S.E.A.N.s** **...ng Auxiliaries.** Salary in accord-... the Whitley Council recommenda-...ply to Matron, The Home and ... for Jewish Incurables, 295 High ...th Tottenham, London, N.15. (39)

... S.R.N. for South Coast Nursing ...od salary, accommodation and off ... 2425, Nursing Times, St. Martin's ...ndon, W.C.2. (2425)

NORTH-EASTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD SCOTLAND

Board of Management for the Aberdeen Special Hospitals

GLEN O'DEE SANATORIUM, KINCARDINESHIRE

Vacancies exist for **Staff Nurses,** S.R.N. or R.G.N., and **Student Nurses** to train for the Certificate of the British Tuberculosis Association. For further particulars apply to the Matron.

Board of Management for the Moray Hospitals

SPYNIE HOSPITAL, ELGIN

An experienced **Ward Sister** is required before the end of December for this hospital of 70 medical, chronic sick and isolation beds. Fever training preferred. Apply to the Matron. (31)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE SKIN

Post-graduate Teaching Hospital in Dermatology

Out-patient Department:

LISLE STREET, LEICESTER SQUARE, W.C.2

In-patient Department:

HOMERTON GROVE, HACKNEY, E.9

Staff Nurses required to do Post-graduate Course in Dermatology, experience given in both departments.

State Enrolled Assistant Nurses required for In-patient Department. Apply to Matron, In-patient Department, Homerton Grove, E.9. (43)

Resident Certificated Nursery Nurse required at Derriads Nursery, Chippenham, 23 children up to five years. Salary after deduction for board and lodging:— Under 19 £204. Aged 19 £219. Aged 20 and over £249 10s. to £367. Forms from the Clerk of the Wiltshire County Council, County Hall, Trowbridge. (2344)

Resident Domestic Assistant to Sister. Some nursing experience. Required for January, 1957. Apply to Sister-in-Charge, Sanatorium, Denstone College, Uttoxeter, Staffs. (2465)

S.R.N. or R.S.C.N., preferably with theatre experience, invited to apply for post of **Resident Ward Sister,** vacant due to promotion in convalescent home for children, situated in beautiful surroundings (Country/Seaside) in residential area. Whitley Council equivalent salary, conditions and superannuation. Apply Matron, The Children's Convalescent Home, West Kirby (Inc.), Meols Drive, West Kirby, Cheshire. (68)

Senior Sister and **Staff Nurse** (R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.) required for Private Nursing Home for Nervous and Mental Disorders. Approximately 40 beds. Apply with particulars, Matron, Bailbrook House, Batheaston, Bath. (1056)

Sister required for modern Baby Wing of 15 cots. R.S.C.N. Salary Whitley Scale. Apply Matron, Dedisham Convalescent Nursery School, Slinfold, Sussex. (1051)

OXFORD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

(43 BANBURY ROAD, OXFORD)

Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, Northamptonshire, Oxfordshire, and parts of Gloucestershire and Wiltshire.

Applications are invited for the following appointments, which should be sent, with details of age, training, qualifications and experience, to the Matron of the appropriate Hospital, from whom further details may be obtained. National salary scales apply.

Inquiries about other posts and training facilities should be addressed to the Board's Nursing Officer.

SISTER TUTORS

Royal Buckinghamshire and Associated Hospitals School of Nursing, comprising **Royal Bucks Hospital** (105 beds), **Stoke Mandeville Hospital** (609 beds), **Tindal General Hospital** (164 beds). Applications are invited for post offering excellent experience and scope for progressive ideas both in Preliminary Training School and in Senior Teaching Unit which is centred at Stoke Mandeville Hospital. Within easy reach of London and Oxford. Resident or non-resident. Accommodation etc., accord with recommendations of R.C.N. Applications to Matron, Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Aylesbury.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon. (163 beds). General Training School.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

Prospect Park Hospital, Reading (104 beds). Immediate vacancy. Candidates must be able to relieve Assistant Matron in Charge. Applications to Matron, Royal Berkshire Hospital, London Road, Reading.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

Banbury Group H.M.C. Comprising ten hospitals. S.R.N., S.C.M. For relief duties in the Group, and will be required to relieve Matrons of country hospitals and to cover emergencies as occasion arises. Will be based on the Horton General Hospital. Applications to the Matron, Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon.

THEATRE SUPERINTENDENT

Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Aylesbury (General—609 beds). For busy Theatre. General Surgical, Gynaecological, Genito-urinary and Orthopaedic work carried out. Hospital within easy reach of London and Oxford. Modern Nurses' Home and good recreational facilities.

NIGHT SISTERS

Buckingham Hospital, Buckingham (General—21 beds). **Night Sister or Staff Nurse.**

Newbury District Hospital, Newbury, Berks. (General—90 beds). Junior Night Sister.

St. Mary's Hospital, Wallingford (Chronic Sick—127 beds). **Night Sister in sole charge.**

Tindal General Hospital, Aylesbury (Mainly General—260 beds). One of two working under Night Superintendent. Required mid-November.

Victoria Hospital, Swindon (Acute Surgical Unit of the Group — 96 beds). Junior Night Sister (one of three).

Wallingford and District Hospital, Wallingford, Berks. (General—18 beds).

THEATRE SISTERS

Peppard Chest Hospital, Nr. Henley-on-Thames, Oxon. (236 beds). For busy Thoracic Unit. Two required, working under Theatre Superintendent. Experience of theatre work essential. B.T.A. Certificate advantage, but training for Certificate may be taken at the hospital.

Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading (General—341 beds). For Gynaecological Theatre.

Wallingford and District Hospital, Wallingford, Berks. (General—18 beds).

SISTERS

Brackley Cottage Hospital, Northants. (13 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

Cold Ash Children's Hospital, Newbury (34 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., or R.S.C.N., for Children's Long-stay Hospital.

Moreton-in-Marsh District Hospital, Glos. (General—32 beds). For alternate day and night duty. Also for Theatre and Out-patients.

Peppard Chest Hospital, Nr. Henley-on-Thames, Oxon. (236 beds). Experienced Ward Sister for Medical Ward of 38 beds. B.T.A. Certificate an advantage but training may be taken here.

St. Margaret's Hospital, Stratton St. Margaret, Swindon (General Medical, Paediatric, Gynaecological and Geriatric —300 beds). Ward Sister for Paediatric Unit.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

ROYAL BUCKINGHAMSHIRE AND ASSOCIATED HOSPITALS SCHOOL OF NURSING

Comprising

ROYAL BUCKINGHAMSHIRE HOSPITAL (105 beds).
STOKE MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL (624 beds).
TINDAL GENERAL HOSPITAL (164 beds).

PRINCIPAL TUTOR REQUIRED

A comparatively new and rapidly expanding Group School. Applicants must have organising ability and the progressive outlook required for further development of the educational programme. Non-residence optional. Expenses for car maintenance allowed.

Applications to the Secretary, 9 Bicester Road, Aylesbury.

SISTERS—Contd.

St. Mary's Hospital, Wallingford (Chronic Sick—127 beds). For Wards.

Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Aylesbury (General—600 beds).

National Spinal Injuries Centre—Two Ward Sisters. (neurological or orthopaedic experience an advantage).

Victoria Hospital, Swindon (Acute Surgical Unit of the Group — 96 beds). For new Ophthalmic Unit.

Wallingford and District Hospital, Berks. (General—18 beds). **Ward Sister.**

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

Chipping Norton and District War Memorial Hospital, Oxon. (32 beds).

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Battle Hospital, Reading. For Part II Training School. Unit of 48 beds and 16 Premature Baby Cots. Labour Ward Sister.

Chipping Norton and District War Memorial Hospital, Oxon. (General—32 beds). Night duty.

Elms Maternity Home, Banbury, Oxon. (15 beds). Applications to Matron, Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon.

Maternity Hospital, Kingshill, Swindon (Maternity—37 beds). Labour Ward Sister, also Sister for Premature Unit.

Neithrop Hospital, Maternity Unit (25 beds). Applications to Matron, Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon.

St. George's Hospital, Wallingford, Berks. (17 beds). For night duty.

Sandleford Hospital, Newbury, Berks. (Chronic Sick and Maternity—118 beds). (Maternity Unit of 14 beds). For night duty or alternative day and night duty.

Westbury Maternity Home, Newport Pagnell, Bucks. (12 beds). Two required. A cottage in the grounds is available at a low rental and would be suitable for two friends sharing; alternatively applicants may live in.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Battle Hospital, Reading (Mainly General—343 beds). **For General, Casualty Department and Chronic Sick Ward.**

Buckingham Hospital, Buckingham (General—31 beds).

Children's Convalescent Hospital, Marlborough (Children up to 15 years—100 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Chipping Norton and District War Memorial Hospital, Oxon. (General—32 beds). S.R.N. Alternate day and night duty.

Cold Ash Children's Hospital, Newbury, Berks. (34 beds). S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. For Children's Long-stay Hospital.

East View Hospital, Stow-on-the-Wold, Glos. (Chronic Sick—32 beds). Small cottage available for person appointed.

Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon. (163 beds). General Training School. For General Ward and for Theatre.

Moore Cottage Hospital, Bourton-on-the-Water, Glos. (General — 17 beds). For alternate day and night duty.

Moreton-in-Marsh District Hospital, Glos. (General—32 beds). For night duty.

Newbury District Hospital, Newbury, Berks. (General — 90 beds). For Casualty Department and to assist Night Sister. Also two for Theatre.

Pines Hospital, Banbury, Oxon. (Tuberculosis — 25 beds). (Part of Horton General Training School). Applications to Matron, Horton General Hospital, Banbury.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading (General — 341 beds). For General Theatre.

St. Margaret's Hospital, Stratton St. Margaret, Swindon (General Medical, Paediatric, Gynaecological and Geriatric —300 beds). For Medical Ward (day and night duty); Paediatric Unit (day and night duty) and for Gynaecological Unit (night duty). Also Theatre Staff Nurse.

Savernake Hospital, Marlborough (General—78 beds). For day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Aylesbury (General — 609 beds). Vacancies for Staff Nurses in:—

- **Plastic Surgery Wards and/or Nuffield Burns Unit.**
- **National Spinal Injuries Centre.**
- **Plastic Surgery Theatre.**
- **Neurological Unit** — linked with United Oxford Hospitals.
- **Tuberculosis Unit**—15 beds. (Applicants with Tuberculosis Association Certificate only will be considered).

Tindal General Hospital, Aylesbury (Mainly General — 260 beds). For night duty on busy Surgical Wards.

Victoria Hospital, Swindon (Acute Surgical Unit of the Group — 96 beds). One for new Ophthalmic Unit, Staff Nurses for day and night duty, also Theatre Staff Nurse—Acute General Surgery. Excellent experience available in new Theatre.

Wallingford and District Hospital, Wallingford, Berks. (General — 18 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

Battle Hospital, Reading (Mainly General—343 beds). For Part II Training School. Unit of 48 beds and 16 Premature Baby Cots. Good experience.

Chipping Norton and District War Memorial Hospital, Oxon. (General—32 beds).

Elms Maternity Home, Banbury, Oxon. (15 beds). Applications to Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon.

Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon. (General Training School). **Travelling Midwives,** S.R.N., S.C.M., for relief duties in the Banbury Group of ten hospitals. Will be based on the Horton General Hospital.

Maternity Hospital, Kingshill, Swindon (Maternity—37 beds).

Neithrop Hospital (Maternity Unit — 25 beds). Applications to Matron, Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon.

St. George's Hospital, Wallingford, Berks. (17 beds). Two required.

Wokingham Hospital, Wokingham, Berks. (Chronic Sick and Maternity—145 beds). Two required.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Battle Hospital, Reading (Mainly General—343 beds). Part II.

Maternity Hospital, Kingshill, Swindon (Maternity—37 beds). (Part II). Vacancies occur December and March.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Battle Hospital, Reading, Berks. (Mainly General — 343 beds). **Day or Night duty.**

Blagrave Hospital, Reading (Convalescent—60 beds). For night and day duty. Apply Matron, Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading.

Buckingham Hospital Buckingham (General—21 beds).

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

Children's Convalescent Hosp… Marlborough (Children up to 15 yea…—100 beds). S.E.A.N.s and Nursery … tificated Nurses. Resident or non-… dent.

Chipping Norton and District W… Memorial Hospital, Oxon. (Gener… 32 beds).

East View Hospital, Stow-on-the-W… Glos. (Chronic Sick—32 beds). … or part-time.

**Elms Maternity Home, Banbury, … ** Applications to Matron, Horton Ge… Hospital, Banbury.

Horton General Hospital, Ban… Oxon. (163 beds). General Trai… School.

Moore Cottage Hospital, Bourt… the-Water, Glos. (General — 17 b…

Moreton-in-Marsh District Hos… Glos. (General—32 beds). Two requ… One for night duty.

Newbury District Hospital, An… Road, Newbury (General—90 beds).

Peppard Chest Hospital, Henley… Thames, Oxon. (Training School … British T.A. Certificate) (Chest Dise… —236 beds). For Operating The… Unit. Two interested in surgery. G… experience available. Caravan … for suitable applicants may be avail… in grounds.

Pines Isolation Hospital, Ban… (T.B.—25 beds; Infectious Diseases… beds). **Applications to the Ma… Horton General Hospital, Banbury, …**

Prospect Park Hospital, Read… (General, I.D., and T.B. — 104 be… For day and night duty. Apply Mat… Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading.

Royal Berkshire Hospital, Rea… (General—341 beds). For Gynaecolo… Theatre.

St. Margaret's Hospital, Stratton … Margaret, Swindon (General Medi… Paediatric, Gynaecological and Geri… —300 beds). S.E.A.N.s and Nur… Assistants.

St. Mary's Hospital, Walling… (Chronic Sick—127 beds).

Sandleford Hospital, Newbury (Chr… Sick and Maternity—118 beds).

Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Ayle… (General—609 beds).

Male and female, resident or … resident, required for:—

- Rheumatism Research Unit.
- Neurological Unit linked with Un… Oxford Hospitals.
- National Spinal Injuries Centre.
- Private Patients' Unit.
- Plastic Surgery Unit—for newly op…
- Nuffield Burns Unit.

Tindal General Hospital, Ayl… (Mainly General — 260 beds). … Surgical and Geriatric Wards.

Wallingford and District Hos… Wallingford, Berks. (General—18 b…

Wokingham Hospital, Wokin… (Chronic Sick and Maternity—145 b… For Chronic Sick and one for Mate…

NURSING AUXILIARIES

Banbury Group of Hospitals. … time. Applications to Matron, H… General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon.

Chipping Norton and District … Memorial Hospital, Oxon. (General… beds).

Peppard Chest Hospital, Henley… Thames, Oxon. Resident or non-resi…

MENTAL NURSIN… VACANCIES

NIGHT SISTER IN SOLE CHARGE

Hungerford Hospital, Park … Hungerford, Berks. (Elderly … Patients—134 beds). Preferably … qualified.

STAFF NURSES

Bradwell Grove Hospital, … Oxford (Ancillary premises to … Hospital, Pewsey, Wilts.). (160 … mental defective patients). Staff N… M.D. trained, but applications will … considered from Mental Trained N… Married accommodation available. A… cations to **Chief Male Nurse.**

OXFORD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

STUDENT NURSES

Vacancies for Student Nurses are available at the following Hospitals. Please apply to the Matron of the Hospital concerned.

Horton General Hospital Group Training School, Banbury, Oxon. (210 beds). There is a limited number of vacancies for Student Nurses **(including men)**, Preliminary Training School terms: January, April and September.

Peppard Chest Hospital, Henley-on-Thames (Regional Thoracic Surgical Centre—236 beds). Vacancies for well-educated women and men students. All types of treatment for pulmonary T.B., including major thoracic surgical unit for T.B. and non-Tuberculosis diseases of the chest. Training School under G.N.C. (special three years' training, one year in the Chest Hospital and two years in a General Hospital). Hospital is also two-year Training School for British T.A. Cert. one year of which counts towards General Training.

Reading Combined Hospitals Training School for Nurses. Vacancies January and March, 1957 for well-educated Female and Male Students (18-32 years). Nurses on Supplementary part of Register accepted for two years. Study day system. Central Preliminary Training School. 11-week course. Apply Matron, Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading.

Royal Buckinghamshire and Associated Hospitals School of Nursing, comprising **Royal Buckinghamshire Hospital** (105 beds), **Stoke Mandeville Hospital** (609 beds), **Tindal General Hospital** (164 beds). Applications are invited from young ladies who have reached the age of 18 and have attained a good standard of education. Excellent facilities for practical experience. Block system of education. Modern Teaching Unit and Nurses' Home. **Post-registration Students accepted for shortened training.** Inquiries and applications to the Matron of any of the above hospitals, Aylesbury, Bucks.

Swindon and District Group Nurse Training School, Victoria Hospital, Swindon (Acute Surgical Unit of Group—96 beds), **St. Margaret's Hospital, Stratton St. Margaret** (General Medical, Paediatric, Gynaecological and Geriatric—300 beds), **Savernake Hospital, Marlborough** (General—78 beds). Study day system in operation.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Newbury District Hospital, Newbury, Berks. (90 beds).

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

Neithrop Hospital, Banbury, Oxon. Approved Component Training School for Assistant Nurses (with the Chipping Norton and District War Memorial Hospital and the Moreton-in-Marsh District Hospital). The above hospitals offer a good training for State Enrolment as an Assistant Nurse (S.E.A.N.) for female persons wanting to be Nurses, and who are not eligible for complete general training (S.R.N.). The training comprises Chronic Sick and Acute Nursing. Age of entry 18-40 years. Resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron, Neithrop Hospital.

Wallingford Hospitals Assistant Nurse Training School. Applications to Matron, St. Mary's Hospital, Wallingford, Berks. (3)

PPOINTMENTS VACANT—Contd.

Nurse with midwifery experience, st First Part C.M.B., required as possible. Salary equivalent to Whitley F.S.S. in force. Apply with full lars to Matron, The Evelyn Nursing Cambridge. (2163)

Nurse required for Nursery Floor. N. or S.R.N.). Resident. Salary ac- to Whitley Scale. Particulars and tion form from The Principal, Well- Nursery Training College, Wellgarth London, N.W.11. (2283)

d Assistant Superintendent required rt II Training School. Whitley scale ry and conditions of service. Resident Apply Superintendent, Cardiff District Association, 12 St. Andrews Crescent, (2301)

Midwives required for Part II Mid- Training School. Whitley scale of and conditions. Motorists and/or preferred. Apply Superintendent, District Nursing Association, 12 St. Crescent, Cardiff. (2302)

l of St. Clare, Penzance. **School or Nursing Sister** required as soon ible for Girls' School. S.R.N. or rsing experience essential. y Headmistress. (2381)

Nurse (S.R.N.) required for asian (Dr. Barnardo's) Hospital, ide, Essex. Applications with two for reference to be made to the (2383)

Registered Nurse required for day Must be capable, conscientious, kindly lling to help in all duties. Able to arge in Matron's absence—for Medical ronic Nursing Home, 14 beds. Good o right person. Accommodation can ided. Apply, with recent references, age, etc., to Matron. Avenue House Home, 67 Wilbury Avenue, Hove, (2409)

. required for six months, 1st or near. Salary Whitley Scale plus , travelling expenses and allowance S.N. contributions. Matron's reference . Miss Oliver, Stoneycrest Nursing Hindhead, Surrey. (2433)

hire. Ludlow, Moor Park (Independent arding School for 75 Girls). Re- arly November or January. **Senior** of three. S.R.N. preferable but not , but must have first class training ience and testimonials. Salary £300 resident, according to qualifications erience. Apply Principal. (2448)

S.R.N. Resident, required at Aged Teachers. Capable of taking absence of Matron. 29 residents, Staff, 6 Domestics. Ward Sister's urses' Whitley Council, £488—£615. stating qualifications, with three , to Secretary, Victoria House, Road, Newcastle, Staffs. (2449)

(State Registered Nurse) is needed Work. Experience of sick children. atron, Australasian (Dr. Barnardo's) Barkingside, Essex. (Telephone e 4897). (2453)

.E.A.N. required for Nursing Home. rgical. F.S.S.N. optional. Whitley ry and conditions. Apply Matron, ursing Home, 14 Fitzroy Square, (2039)

Sister required for busy Surgical Home. F.S.S. in force. Apply with culars to Matron, The Evelyn Nurs- Cambridge. (2164)

The Board of Governors

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Staff Nurse with tuberculosis experience.
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Further details and application forms obtainable from Matron.

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Night Sister required early January.
Staff Nurses for theatre and wards.
A six-month course of lectures is given to trained nursing staff by the consultant staff in the diagnosis, treatment and nursing care of recto-abdominal cases.
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Nursing Sisters, S.R.N., S.C.M.

required in

NIGERIA, GAMBIA, KENYA, TANGANYIKA, UGANDA, CYPRUS, FALKLAND ISLANDS

For information apply to:

THE OVERSEAS NURSING ASSOCIATION
15 VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W.1.

(2437)

THE HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST

BROMPTON HOSPITAL, S.W.3. and SANATORIUM, FRIMLEY, SURREY

State Registered Nurses (male or female) wishing to gain additional experience and the B.T.A. Certificate are invited to write for particulars of the one-year's course held at Brompton Hospital in the medical and surgical treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis and other chest diseases. The Brompton Hospital Certificate is also taken. Salary £425 (males), £417 (female) p.a., less £153 p.a. for board and lodging.

State Enrolled Assistant Nurses are also required. Salary £374 p.a., less £146 p.a. for board and lodging.

At the Sanatorium at Frimley, Nr. Camberley, **State Registered Nurses** and **State Enrolled Assistant Nurses** are required, applications from ex-patients being favourably considered.

The above posts all carry the additional allowance of £15 on completion of each six months' service.

Apply Matron, Brompton Hospital, London, S.W.5. (69)

DONCASTER ROYAL INFIRMARY
(330 beds)
Preliminary Training School for Nurses

There are vacancies in the above school for the courses commencing January, March, July and September. Candidates should be between the ages of 18 and 30 and should possess a good standard of education. These courses are held prior to a three years' general training course.

Nurses on a Supplementary Register will be accepted for a two years' course in general training.

Applications should be addressed to the Matron. (1966)

Vacant post **S.R.N.** for Women's Convalescent Home, South Coast. Whitley scale of salaries. No night duty. Apply Box 2447, Nursing Times, St. Martin's St., London, W.C.2. (2447)

Vacancy London. Not later than March, 1957 for educated lady. Non-resident, Age 40-50. Preference given to Service dependents and ex Nurses. £300 p.a. Able to take responsibility. Office and social. Approximately 10 weeks holiday annually. Apply Box 2451, Nursing Times, St. Martin's Street, London, W.C.2. (2451)

WORCESTERSHIRE EDUCATION COMMITTEE SHENSTONE TRAINING COLLEGE Nr. KIDDERMINSTER

Required, S.R.N. for post of **Sister-in-Charge of Sick Bay**—women's college of 200 students.

Salary on Whitley Council Scale.

Particulars and forms of application from the Director of Education, Castle Street, Worcester (O.177). (2355)

MIDWIFERY

UNITED BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS BIRMINGHAM MATERNITY HOSPITAL LOVEDAY STREET, BIRMINGHAM, 4

Pupils prepared for the Part I Examination of the Central Midwives Board.

State Registered Nurses and non-State Registered Nurses are accepted.

Allowances as recommended by Whitley Council. Vacancies May, August, November, February.

Applications to Matron. (38)

AIRTHREY CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BRIDGE OF ALLAN
PUPIL MIDWIVES

There are vacancies in the above hospital for State Registered Nurses who wish to take Part I of the C.M.B. Examination. Courses begin 1st June, 1st September, 1st December, 1st March. For training the hospital is in affiliation with Stirling Royal Infirmary, and Part I of the course can be arranged.

Whitley scale of salary.

Apply to the Matron. (x55)

UNITED MANCHESTER HOSPITALS ST. MARY'S HOSPITALS MANCHESTER
Midwifery Training School

Vacancies exist for **Pupil Midwives** in preparation for the first period examination of the Central Midwives' Board. Qualified Sister Tutors are responsible for the supervision of training.

Modified block system and study day in progress during six months' training.

Salary and conditions of service in accordance with the Whitley Council recommendations.

For further particulars and date of vacancies, apply to the Matron. (14)

THE UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS LIVERPOOL MATERNITY HOSPITAL

Vacancies for **Pupil Midwives.** Schools commence during 1957, January/February, April/May, July/August, October/November.

Applications to Matron, Liverpool Maternity Hospital, Oxford Street, Liverpool, 7. (2378)

AYRSHIRE CENTRAL HOSPITAL IRVINE

Maternity Section. Training School for Parts I and II Certificates.

Pupil Midwives. R.G.N. or S.R.N., R.F.N. or R.S.C.N. Certificates. Commencement date of Training Course, 1st December. (2403)

MIDWIFERY—Contd.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF OLDHAM
OLDHAM DISTRICT MIDWIFERY SERVICE
Part II Training of Pupil Midwives

Applications are invited for vacancies occurring on the 1st December, 1956, and 1st March, 1957, for Part II Training of **Pupil Midwives,** including training in administration of inhalational analgesics.

Salary and conditions of service in accordance with recommendations of the Nurses' and Midwives' Whitley Council.

Applications should be addressed to the Medical Officer of Health, Public Health Department, Town Hall, Oldham.

EDWARD HAINES,
Town Clerk.
(2357)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS
THE MATERNITY HOSPITAL AT LEEDS
HYDE TERRACE, LEEDS, 2
First Period Training School associated with the University of Leeds
(112 beds)

Pupil Midwives prepared for Part 1 Examination by qualified Midwifery Teachers.

One week's preparatory course in classroom prior to six months training.

Instruction in Physiotherapy will be given.

Approved arrangements for Inhalation Analgesia.

Whitley Council scale of allowances.

Vacancies for **S.R.N.,** 8th and 25th Oct., 1956 and 8th and 25th Jan., April, July and Oct., 1957.

Vacancies for **Non-S.R.N.,** of good education 1st November, 1956 or 1st May, 1957.

Prospectus, illustrated brochure and application forms may be obtained from the Matron. (1036)

SITUATIONS VACANT

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(627 beds)
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(18)

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BANBURY, OXON.

Resident **Diet Cook** required. Also resident **Kitchen Maid.** Applications to the Catering Officer. (1062)

FINCHLEY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
GRANVILLE ROAD
NORTH FINCHLEY, N.12

Assistant Cook (female) required. Resident (or non-resident commencing 6.30 a.m.).

Basic pay £6 9s. 6d. per week, less 45/3d. per week if resident.

Apply to Matron. (2030)

HORTON GENERAL HOSPITAL
BANBURY, OXON.

Vacancy for **Waitress,** Nurses' Dining Room, and for **Maid,** Nurses' Home.

Applications to the Matron. (2197)

THE ROYAL MARSDEN HOSPITAL

Requires **Cook** (female), preferably with experience in large scale cooking for modern hospital kitchen. Resident or non-resident. 48-hour week. Wages £6 17s. 6d., plus 6s. if holding a Diploma. Extra pay for split duties and Sunday work.

Apply to Catering Officer, Fulham Road, S.W.3. (2463)

KENYA

Queen Elizabeth's Oversea Nursing Service

NURSING SISTERS, S.R.N., S.C.M.

Vacancies exist for Nursing Sisters who have the above qualifications either on probation for the permanent service or on two years contract.

Permanent and pensionable terms of service are at a salary scale of £825 a year, rising by annual increments of £33 to £957 x £36 to £1,065 x £42 to £1,191. Passages are paid both ways and leave is granted at the rate of 4 to 5 days per month's completed service.

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Full information and forms of application may be obtained on application to

OVERSEAS NURSING ASSOCIATION
15, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W.1 (732)

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required by the

Psychiatric Services Branch of the Saskatchewan Department of Public Health.

SALARY : Graduates : $240—$273
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REQUIREMENTS : Nurses trained in mental deficiency and psychiatric nursing for employment in a new modern Training School and in an 1800 bed mental hospital. Persons accepted as graduates may write examinations for registration as Psychiatric Nurses in Saskatchewan. There is a three year training program including 550 hours of lectures and seminars.

For further information and application forms please contact the Superintendent, Saskatchewan Training School, Moose Jaw, Sask., Canada, or the Superintendent, Saskatchewan Hospital, Weyburn, Sask., Canada. (2439)

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Part II Midwifery Training School

There are vacancies for **Pupil Midwives** for a school commencing 1st December. For full particulars of training facilities please apply Matron. (1965)

The United Sheffield Hospitals
JESSOP HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN
Part I Training School for Pupil Midwives

Courses commence in January, March, April, June, July, September, October and December. Each course includes two weeks preliminary training school for Pupil Midwives prior to commencing the six months training and one week's study period on completion.

Pupil Midwives do not work on wards during this period but receive full salary and board. Weekly study day in addition during period on wards.

Vacancies for the schools commencing 19th March and 11th April, 1957. (2444)

Family (one disabled, one working, one aged 11) seek motherly person to cook and care for them. Help for rough. Vacancy after Christmas or sooner by arrangement. Waddy, 5 Bickley Road, Bickley, Kent. (2413)

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